# **CONGRESSMAN JOHN BARROW'S**

# Grants Assistance Information Newsletter GEORGIA'S 12<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT December 2013

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No reminders of general interest

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No reminders of general interest

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No reminders of general interest

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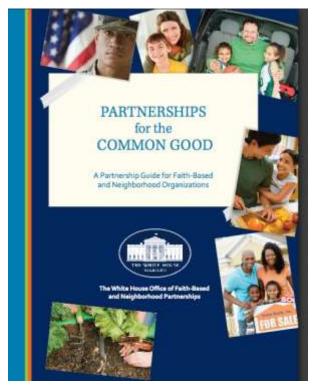
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**Special Federal Program Notices** 



This Manual for faith-based organizations is a excellent guide to review and use.

http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/faithbasedtoolkit.pdf

### What is Sequestration?

Sequestration, sometimes called the sequester, is a process that automatically cuts the federal budget across most departments and agencies.

Congress included the threat of sequestration in the <u>Budget Control Act of 2011</u> as a way to encourage compromise on deficit reduction efforts.

Congress couldn't agree on a budget by the deadline set in the Budget Control Act, so mandatory budget cuts were scheduled to go into effect on January 2, 2013.

Congress stopped the cuts from happening by passing the <u>American Taxpayer Relief Act</u> on January 2. This law pushed the budget cuts back until March 1, 2013.

Since Congress did not agree on a budget to reduce the deficit by March 1, sequestration has begun and \$85 billion in spending cuts are currently going into effect.

These reports give detailed information about the amount that programs may be cut and which programs are exempt from sequestration:

- White House Office of Management and Budget Sequestration Reports to the President and Congress
- Congressional Budget Office Report on Estimated Impact of Automatic Budget Enforcement Procedures Specified in the Budget Control Act
- Congressional Research Service Report on Budget "'Sequestration' and Selected Program Exemptions and Special Rules" (PDF)

Please review each department's General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency's funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

# **Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Program Summaries**

U.S. Department of Agriculture

**Grants and Loans Overview** 

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS\_LOANS

# USDA posts rural funding guide for local governments



The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities.

Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. The resource guide can be accessed here.

http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/

#### **Department of Agriculture**



**Category Explanation:** 

Business and Cooperative Programs
Value Added Producer Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: RDBCP-2013-VAPG

Funding Opportunity Title: Value Added Producer Grant

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture

**Business and Commerce** 

Energy

Food and Nutrition

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
The primary objective of the VAPG program is to help agricultural producers enter into value-added

activities related to the processing and/or

marketing of bio-based value-added products. Generating new products, creating and expanding

marketing opportunities, and increasing producer

income are the end goals of this program.

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

CFDA Number(s): 10.352 -- Value-Added Producer Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

**Posted Date:** Nov 26, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 26, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 24, 2014 You must submit your application by February 24, 2014 or it will not be considered

for funding that may be announced in a

subsequent Notice. Paper applications must be postmarked and mailed, shipped or sent overnight

by this date. You may also hand carry your application to one of our field offices, but it must be received by close of business on the deadline date. Electronic applications are permitted via http://www.grants.gov only, and must be received

before midnight Eastern Time on this date. Late applications are not eligible for FY 2013 grant

funding.

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funding.

Mar 26, 2014 **Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$10,500,000

**Award Ceiling:** \$200,000 **Eligible Applicants:** 

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) You must meet the requirements of one of the following applicant types: Independent Producer, Agricultural Producer Group, Farmer or Rancher Cooperative, or Majority-Controlled Producer-Based Business Venture. Your proposed valueadded product must also fall within one of the five product categories, and you must also comply with all the other eligibility requirements detailed

| Agency Name: Description: The act of the act | the Program Regulation and NOFA. The susiness and Cooperative Programs he primary objective of the VAPG program is to elp agricultural producers enter into value-added ctivities related to the processing and/or marketing of bio-based value-added products. The senerating new products, creating and expanding marketing opportunities, and increasing producer may receive priority if you are a beginning farmer or rancher, a socially-disadvantaged farmer or mucher, a small or medium-sized farm or rancher tructured as a family farm, a farmer or rancher cooperative, or are proposing a mid-tier value main, as defined in the Program Regulation. |  |  |  |  |
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# **Department of Commerce**

# **Grants, Contracting, and Trade Opportunities at Commerce**

Learn more information about grants, contracting and trade opportunities at the Department of Commerce using the information below.

**Grants at Commerce** 

**Contracting Opportunities with Commerce** 

Trade Opportunities through Commerce

Economic Development Administration
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
And Modification 1

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**EDAP2014

Funding Opportunity Title: FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance

Programs
Discretionary

Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other

Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Regional Development

Category Explanation: The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic

development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create

the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic

Development Assistance programs (EDAP)

Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO)

announcement, EDA will make construction, nonconstruction, and revolving loan fund investments

under the Public Works and Economic

Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace.

Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving

economic conditions.

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

CFDA Number(s):

11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and **Economic Development Facilities** 

11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** 

**Posted Date: Creation Date:** 

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** 

Nov 25, 2013 Nov 26, 2013

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** 

**Eligible Applicants:** 

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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State governments County governments

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a(n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of

Agency Name: Description:

**Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:** 

political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to forprofit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located. **Economic Development Administration** The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, nonconstruction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

**EDA Website** 

If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact your state representative. Please direct any questions to the EDA representative for your state. A complete list of EDA representatives is available on EDA's website at http://eda.gov/contacts.htm

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248297

Fiscal Year 2014 NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Population and Ecosystem Dynamics Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: NOAA-OAR-SG-2014-2003955

Funding Opportunity Title: Fiscal Year 2014 NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in

Population and Ecosystem Dynamics

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Education

Environment

Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 5

**CFDA Number(s):** 11.417 -- Sea Grant Support

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Dec 3, 2013
Dec 3, 2013
Dec 3, 2013
Dec 3, 2013
Dec 3, 2014
Feb 21, 2014
Feb 21, 2014
Archive Date:
Mar 23, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$320,000 Award Ceiling: \$38,500 Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Prospective Fellows must be United States

citizens. At the time of application, prospective Population and Ecosystem Dynamics Fellows must be admitted to a PhD degree program in population dynamics, ecosystem dynamics, or a related field such as wildlife biology, fishery Agency Name: Description:

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information: biology, natural resource management, marine biology, quantitative ecology, applied mathematics, simulation modeling, or applied statistics, at an institution of higher education in the United States or its territories, or submit a signed letter from the institution indicating provisional acceptance to a PhD degree program conditional on obtaining financial support such as this fellowship. Applications must come from Sea Grant programs and should be submitted through www.Grants.gov.

Department of Commerce

The Graduate Fellowship Program awards at least two new PhD fellowships each year to students who are interested in careers related to marine ecosystem and population dynamics, with a focus on modeling and managing systems of living marine resources. The emphasis will be on the development and implementation of quantitative methods for assessing marine ecosystems, for assessing the status of fish, invertebrate, and other targeted species stocks, and for assessing the status of marine mammals, seabirds, and other protected species. Fellows will work on thesis problems of public interest and relevance to NMFS under the guidance of NMFS mentors at participating NMFS Science Centers or Laboratories. The NMFS-Sea Grant Fellowships in Population and Ecosystem Dynamics meets NOAA's Mission goal of "Protect, Restore and Manage the Use of Coastal and Ocean Resources Through Ecosystem-Based Management".

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Terry Smith, National Sea Grant College Program, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910; Telephone: 301-734-1084 Office

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248774

#### Precision Measurement Grant Program (PMGP) Grant

**Grants Notice Document Type:** 

**Funding Opportunity Number:** 2014-NIST-PMGP-01

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Precision Measurement Grant Program (PMGP)

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:** Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 11.609 -- Measurement and Engineering Research

and Standards

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Dec 4, 2013 **Creation Date:** Dec 4, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Abbreviated Proposals must be submitted under

the Precision Measurement Grant Program (PMGP) in order to be considered for funding. Details of the submission process for Abbreviated

Proposals are contained in the Full

Announcement. Only those applicants whose Abbreviated Proposals have been selected by NIST as Finalists will be permitted to submit Full

Proposals. Abbreviated Proposals must be

received no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, February 4, 2014. Abbreviated Proposals received after this deadline will not be reviewed or considered. Review of Abbreviated Proposals and selection of Finalists is expected to be completed by Tuesday, March 25, 2014. Full Proposals submitted through Grants.gov must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, on Tuesday, May 6, 2014. Paper or e-mailed Full Proposals must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, on Tuesday, May 6, 2014. Full Proposals received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.

Abbreviated Proposals must be submitted under **Current Closing Date for Applications:** 

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Jun 4, 2014

Archive Date:
Estimated Total Program Funding:
Award Ceiling:
Award Floor:
Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Accredited institutions of higher education; hospitals; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; state, local, and Indian tribal governments; foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; international organizations; and Federal agencies with appropriate legal authority.

National Institute of Standards and Technology Since 1970, NIST, as part of its research program, has provided funding under the Precision

Since 1970, NIST, as part of its research program, Measurement Grant Program (PMGP) primarily to universities and colleges so that faculty may conduct significant research in the field of fundamental measurement or the determination of fundamental constants. NIST sponsors these research projects primarily to encourage basic, measurement-related research in universities and colleges and other research laboratories and to foster contacts between NIST scientists and those faculty members of academic institutions and other researchers who are actively engaged in such work. The PMGP also is intended to make it possible for researchers to pursue new ideas for which other sources of support may be difficult to find. There is some latitude in research topics that

will be considered under the PMGP. The key requirement is that the proposed project is

consistent with NIST's ongoing work in the field

of basic measurement science

(http://pml.nist.gov).

Link to Additional Information: 2014-NIST-PMGP-01 Full Announcement/FFO

document

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Christopher Hunton Grants Technical Assistant

Phone 301-975-5718 Agency Contact

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248854

Modifications:

FY14 Nancy Foster Scholarship Program

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247455



#### **Corporation for National and Community Service**

#### General Program Overview

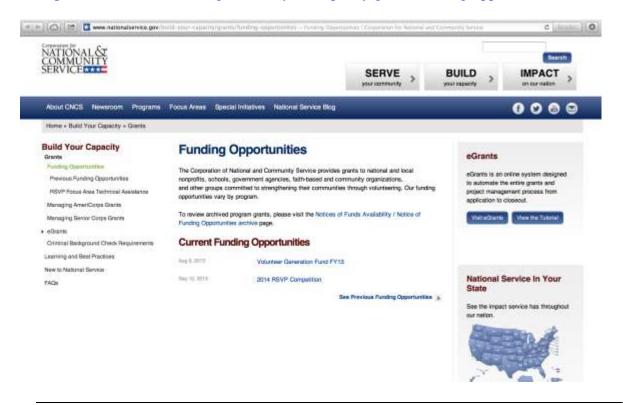
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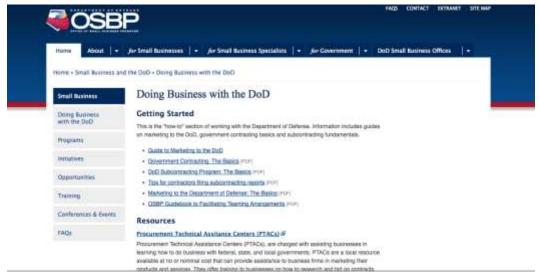
http://www.nationalservice.gov/build-your-capacity/grants/funding-opportunities





### **U.S. Department of Defense**

Doing Business with the Department of Defense



http://www.acg.osd.mil/osbp/doing business/index.htm



http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract\_resources.aspx

#### Research:

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency

DARPA - Defense Sciences Office

Restoring Active Memory (RAM) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247133

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency

DARPA - Defense Sciences Office

Young Faculty Award (YFA) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247637

Defense Intelligence Agency

DIA Innovation - Agency Wide BAA Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248457

Office of Naval Research

Cyber-enabled Manufacturing Systems for Direct Digital Manufacturing (CeMS-DDM) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247575

Office of Naval Research

National Security Science and Engineering Faculty Fellowship Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248613

#### **Modifications:**

Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency

DARPA - Defense Sciences Office

Systems-Based Neurotechnology for Emerging Therapies (SUBNETS)

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245414

Defense Threat Reduction Agency

FY2011 – 2016 Basic Research for Combating Weapons of Mass Destruction (C-WMD)

Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)

Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=75633

Office of Naval Research

Naval Supply Systems Command

FY13 - FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency

Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries

Modification 11

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=207153



#### **Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education**

# FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2013

(As of June 28, 2013)

The Department of Education lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts -- organized according to the Department's principal program offices -- and include programs and competitions the Department has previously announced, as well as those it plans to announce at a later date.

**Note:** This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education which expects to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

To see the complete document click here: <a href="http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html">http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html</a>

The general information page for Education Grant funding is an excellent resource describing the three types of grants awarded by the Department of Education. See the screen shot of the Department of Education web page below:

# **Apply for a Grant**

ED offers three kinds of grants:

- · Discretionary grants: awarded using a competitive process.
- · Student loans or grants: to help students attend college.
- · Formula grants: uses formulas determined by Congress and has no application process.

#### Discretionary Grants Information

#### Eligibility and Forecasts

- Guide to Education Programs; who can apply for what
- . ED grants forecast: competitions opening soon

#### Application Information

- Federal Register Notices; competitions and other announcements
- Open competitions: with links to application information
- Forms

#### Online Applications

- G5: ED's online application system
- G5 application packages
- EDPubs: list of downloadable application packages

#### Student Loans and Other Information

To get a <u>Pell grant</u>, or other federal aid for college, you must complete the...

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

Then explore...

- · Funding your education, or
- Student Loans, Forgiveness

#### Other grant information

- IES funding: funding opportunities from ED's Institute for Education Sciences
- · Grants.gov: federal government grant competitions

#### "Supplemental priorities" information

- · List of supplemental priorities
- Official Federal Register "supplemental priorities" notice (PDF, 230K)

http://www.ed.gov/fund/grants-apply.html

The Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training Program: Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling CFDA Number 84.129B Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** ED-GRANTS-110513-001

Funding Opportunity Title: The Office of Special Education and

Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training Program: Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling

CFDA Number 84.129B

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Education

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 46

**CFDA Number(s):** 84.129 -- Rehabilitation Long-Term Training

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

**Posted Date:** Nov 6, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 6, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 3, 2014 Applications Available: November 6,

2013. Dates of Pre-Application Webinars: November 20, 2013, December 4, Dates of Pre-Application Webinars: Interested parties are invited to participate in pre-application webinars. The pre-application webinars with staff from the Department will be held on November 20, 2013, December 4, 2013, and January 8, 2014, at 2:00 p.m., Washington, DC time. The webinars will be recorded. For further information about the pre-

application webinars, visit the National Clearinghouse of Rehabilitation Training

Materials (NCRTM) at www.ncrtm.org. 2013, and January 8, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of

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Applications: February 3, 2014.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Feb 3, 2014 Applications Available: November

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application webinars, visit the National Clearinghouse of Rehabilitation Training

Materials (NCRTM) at www.ncrtm.org. 2013, and January 8, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of

Applications: February 3, 2014.

Archive Date: Mar 5, 2014 Estimated Total Program Funding: \$9,166,902

Award Ceiling:

**Eligible Applicants:** 

City or township governments Independent school districts

State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Special district governments

# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Agency Name: Description:

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
County governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Private institutions of higher education
Eligible Applicants: States and public or nonprofit agencies and organizations, including Indian tribes and institutions of higher education.

Department of Education

Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements. application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. Purpose of Program: The Rehabilitation Long-Term Training program provides financial assistance for-- (1) Projects that provide basic or advanced training leading to an academic degree in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary; (2) Projects that provide a specified series of courses or program of study leading to the award of a certificate in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary; and (3) Projects that provide support for medical residents enrolled in residency training programs in the specialty of physical medicine and rehabilitation. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.129B. Applications for grants under the Rehabilitation

Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training competition, CFDA Number 84.129B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Rehabilitation Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training competition at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this competition by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.129, not 84.129B).

**Link to Additional Information:** 

The Office of Special Education and

Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): Rehabilitation Training: Rehabilitation Long-Term Training Program: Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling

CFDA Number 84.129B; Notice inviting

applications for new awards

**Contact Information:** 

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EducationGrantInquiries@ed.gov Program Manager: RoseAnn Ashby U.S. Department of **Education Rehabilitation Services Administration** 400 Maryland Avenue SW., Room 5055 Potomac Center Plaza (PCP) Washington, DC 20202-2800.

Telephone: (202) 245-7258 or by email:

roseann.ashby@ed.gov. e-Mail: Program Manager

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246894

Modifications



## **U.S. Department of Energy**



## http://www.doe.gov/grants-contracts

Office of Science

SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase I Release 2 Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001046

**Funding Opportunity Title:** SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase I Release 2

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Nov 25, 2013Creation Date:Nov 25, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Feb 4, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Feb 4, 2014Archive Date:May 5, 2014

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

## **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

SBIR/STTR program eligibility requirements are in place to ensure that the funds go only to small, independent US businesses. The regulations include restrictions about (1) the type of firm, (2) its ownership structure, and (3) the firm's size in terms of the number of employees. The purpose of the requirement regarding type of firm is to target the awards to firms with an economic interest in developing the idea or research into a commercial application. The purpose of the ownership requirement is to limit the program to independent firms controlled by US citizens or permanent resident aliens as a way of maximizing the likelihood that the funding will stimulate innovative activity within the US economy. The purpose of the size restriction (number of employees of the firm and its affiliates) is to limit program funding to small business concerns which have a unique capacity for innovation and are more likely to be constrained by lack of access to such funding. For complete information on eligibility see PART III. ELIGIBILITY **INFORMATION** in Funding Opportunity Announcement DE-FOA-0001046.

Agency Name: Description:

Office of Science

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) describes two distinct funding opportunities for the U. S. Department of Energy (DOE) Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) and the Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs for Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Phase I Release 2. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001046&agency=DOE.

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

FedConnect

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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**PAMS** 

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Climate and Earth System Modeling: SciDAC and Climate Variability and Change Grant

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0001036

Funding Opportunity Title: Climate and Earth System Modeling: SciDAC and

Climate Variability and Change

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Nov 20, 2013 **Posted Date: Creation Date:** Nov 20, 2013 Mar 3, 2014 **Original Closing Date for Applications: Current Closing Date for Applications:** Mar 3, 2014 **Archive Date:** Jun 3, 2014 **Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$8,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$500,000 **Award Floor:** \$150,000

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

All types of applicants are cligible to apply

Additional Information on Eligibility: All types of applicants are eligible to apply,

except nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after

December 31, 1995.

Agency Name: Office of Science

**Description:** Climate and Earth System Modeling is part of the

Climate and Environmental Sciences Division (CESD) of the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Biological and Environmental Research (BER). The Climate and Earth System Modeling

programs seek to develop and analyze high

fidelity community models representing Earth and

climate system variability and change, with a significant focus on the response of systems to natural and anthropogenic forcing. As the first of two programs in Climate and Earth System Modeling that participate in this FOA, the Earth System Modeling (ESM) Program seeks to advance computational, dynamical, and biogeophysical representations of the Earth system and its components, and to calibrate, test and assess predictive capabilities using uncertainty quantification methodologies. The second program participating in this FOA, the Regional and Global Climate Modeling (RGCM) Program, seeks to enhance the predictive understanding of the Earth system by analyzing the natural and anthropogenic components of global and regional Earth system models. The use of model simulations in combination with observations enables a deeper understanding of climate variability and change. The ESM and RGCM programs are thus complementary, with ESM focused mainly on climate model development, and RGCM focused mainly on climate system analysis. Both modeling programs collaborate and coordinate with the Terrestrial Ecosystem Science (TES) and Atmospheric System Research (ASR) programs, by utilizing TES and ASR process research activities to inform model development, and by using model simulations to identify where further process research is required in atmospheric and terrestrial systems.

**Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:** 

FedConnect

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247993

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Plant Feedstock Genomics for Bioenergy: A Joint Research Funding Opportunity

Announcement USDA, DOE Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001034

Funding Opportunity Title: Plant Feedstock Genomics for Bioenergy: A Joint

Research Funding Opportunity Announcement

USDA, DOE

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Nov 20, 2013
Nov 20, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Feb 25, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
May 25, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Calling:

\$5,000,000

Award Floor: \$50,000 \$200,000 \$200,000

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" All types of applicants are eligible to apply,

Additional Information on Eligibility: All types of applicants are eligible to a except Federally Funded Research and

Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. DOE Eligibility Criteria: Applicants from U.S. Colleges and universities, non-profit

organizations, for-profit commercial

organizations, state and local governments, and unaffiliated individuals are eligible to apply, except as described in the preceding paragraph. Researchers from other Federal agencies are encouraged to submit a pre-application referencing DE-FOA- 0001034; if a formal application is encouraged, additional submission information will be provided. USDA Eligibility

**Agency Name: Description:** 

**Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:** 

Criteria: The Secretary may award grants to State agricultural experiment stations; colleges and universities; university research foundations; other research institutions and organizations; Federal agencies; national laboratories; private organizations or corporations; individuals; or any group consisting of two or more of the aforementioned entities. Applications from scientists at non-U.S. organizations will not be accepted. Award recipients may subcontract to organizations not eligible to apply, provided such organizations are necessary for the conduct of the project.

Office of Science

The U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Science, Office of Biological and Environmental Research (OBER), and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA), hereby announce their interest in receiving applications for genomicsbased research that will lead to the improved use of biomass and plant feedstocks for the production of fuels such as ethanol or renewable chemical feedstocks. Specifically, applications are sought for research on plants that will improve biomass and oil seed characteristics, yield, or sustainability. Research to overcome the biological barriers to the low-cost, high-quality, scalable and sustainable production of bioenergy feedstocks using the tools of genetics and genomics are encouraged.

**FedConnect** 

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kim.laing@science.doe.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247994

Golden Field Office Next Generation Photovoltaic Technologies III Grant **Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0000990

Funding Opportunity Title: Next Generation Photovoltaic Technologies III

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

**Posted Date:** Nov 18, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 18, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 24, 2014 Applicants must submit a Concept

Paper by 01/03/2014 to be eligible to submit a

Full Application.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 24, 2014 Applicants must submit a Concept

Paper by 01/03/2014 to be eligible to submit a

Full Application.

Archive Date: Aug 30, 2014

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility

Agency Name: Golden Field Office

**Description:** The Next Generation Photovoltaic Technologies

III program seeks to support research that applies basic science towards the realization of devices that demonstrate photovoltaic (PV) effect.

Specifically, this Funding Opportunity

Announcement (FOA) solicits proposals that apply promising basic materials science that has been proven at the materials properties level to

demonstrate photovoltaic conversion

improvements that address or exceed SunShot

goals. The full Funding Opportunity

Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE

eXCHANGE website at https://eere-

exchange.energy.gov. To apply to this FOA, Applicants must register with and submit

application materials through EERE Exchange at https://eere-Exchange.energy.gov, EERE?s online application portal. Frequently asked questions for this FOA and the EERE Application process can

be found at https://eere-

exchange.energy.gov/FAQ.aspx. https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

Link to Additional Information:

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Next Generation Photovoltaic Technologies III

DOEnextgenPV@go.doe.gov

For questions regarding the content of the FOA.

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247777

Golden Field Office

SUNSHOT INCUBATOR PROGRAM Round 9 Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0000923

**Funding Opportunity Title:** SUNSHOT INCUBATOR PROGRAM Round 9

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

**Posted Date:** Nov 19, 2013 Nov 19, 2013 **Creation Date: Original Closing Date for Applications:** Mar 13, 2014 **Current Closing Date for Applications:** Mar 13, 2014

**Eligible Applicants:** Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Only startup businesses are eligible to apply for **Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

funding as Standalone Applicants. For the purposes of eligibility to apply for funding

through this Funding Opportunity Announcement, the term "startup business" is defined as: Forprofit entity incorporated or otherwise formed under the Federal law or the laws of the individual United States with 500 or less employees not including the employees of any parent companies,

subsidiaries or other affiliate companies.

Golden Field Office **Agency Name:** 

**Description:** The Department of Energy (DOE) is supporting

> the development of tools and approaches that will significantly reduce the costs for solar energy

systems across all technology areas (i.e.

photovoltaics, concentrating solar power, power

electronics, balance of system and non-hardware cost such as customer acquisition permitting, financing, interconnection, and inspection.) As part of the SunShot Incubator program, this funding opportunity is designed to help startup businesses and entrepreneurs develop technologies, innovative programs, and streamlined processes that will make solar more accessible for consumers in the U.S. The SunShot Incubator Program is an aggressive pay for performance program focused on helping solar startups rapidly refine and commercialize promising, proven technologies and ideas. The program seeks to accelerate the commercialization of solar energy products and solutions that dramatically lower the cost of solar power. This round of the SunShot Incubator Program is for both hardware and non-hardware solutions that reduce the cost of systems that convert solar energy into electric potential. The SunShot Incubator program consists of five (5) tiers (divided between hardware and non-hardware) to which applications may be submitted: Hardware: Tier 0 includes awards of up to \$500,000 with a 20% cost share requirement over 12 months to accelerate the transition from a proof-of-concept of all critical components to an early stage functional prototype. Tier 1 includes awards of up to \$1,000,000 with a 20% cost share requirement over 12 months to accelerate transition of early state functional prototype to manufacturing and commercially relevant prototype made in the lab. Tier 2 includes awards of up to \$4,000,000 with a 50% cost share requirement over 18 months to develop the manufacturing processes and equipment to move from a fully developed lab prototype to pilot-scale production. Non-Hardware: Tier 1S includes awards of up to \$500,000 with a 20% cost share requirement over 12 months to accelerate transition of proof-ofconcept or business plan to alpha capability and early customer trials. Tier 2S includes awards of up to \$2,000,000 with a 50% cost share requirement over 18 months to transition alpha capability through beta launch and full commercialization. The full Funding Opportunity

Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE

eXCHANGE website at https://eereexchange.energy.gov <a href="https://eere-

exchange.energy.gov/>. To apply to this FOA,

Applicants must register with and submit

application materials through EERE Exchange at https://eere-Exchange.energy.gov <a href="https://eere-">https://eere-</a>

exchange.energy.gov/>, EERE?s online

application portal. To learn more about the history

of the Incubator program please see:

http://www1.eere.energy.gov/solar/sunshot/incuba

tor.html Two Webinars will be hosted by

Incubator program staff to walk through program details and answer questions. Further details are provided in the FOA. Please refer back here, to this website and section, for updates on the FOA

and schedule.

**Link to Additional Information:** https://eere-

exchange.energy.gov/#FoaId10f7a53a-0acb-4e08-

a95f-067544d0f2c4

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247974

National Energy Technology Laboratory Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement Vehicle Technologies **Incubator Grant** 

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001044

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity

Announcement Vehicle Technologies Incubator

Discretionary **Opportunity Category:** 

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

Yes **Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** 

**Posted Date:** Nov 18, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 18, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: This is a Notice of Intent to issue Funding

Opportunity Announcement DE-FOA-0000988. Applications will not be accepted for the Notice of

Intent.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** This is a Notice of Intent to issue Funding

Opportunity Announcement DE-FOA-0000988. Applications will not be accepted for the Notice of

Intent.

Archive Date: Feb 18, 2014
Eligible Applicants: Small businesses

Agency Name: National Energy Technology Laboratory

**Description:**The purpose of this Notice is to provide potential applicants advance notice that the Department of

Energy Office of Energy Efficiency and

Renewable Energy intends to issue, on behalf of the Vehicle Technologies Office, a Funding Opportunity Announcement, number DE-FOA-0000988 entitled Vehicle Technologies Incubator.

NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH THIS NOTICE. Please do not submit questions or respond to this Notice of Intent. Prospective applicants to the FOA should begin developing partnerships, formulating ideas, and gathering data in anticipation of the issuance of this FOA. It is anticipated that this FOA will be posted to EERE Exchange on or about December

2013.

Link to Additional Information: <a href="https://eere-exchange.energy.gov">https://eere-exchange.energy.gov</a>

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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Submit all questions to

jacqulyn.wilson@netl.doe.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247813

Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement Sunshot Incubator Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001031

Funding Opportunity Title: Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity

Announcement ?Sunshot Incubator Program?

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Agency Name:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

Link to Additional Information:

**Contact Information:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Notice of Intent to issue FOA

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Archive Date: Nov 29, 2013

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Golden Field Office

**Description:** The Department of Energy (DOE) Office of

Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Solar Energy Technology Office, a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled ?SunShot

Incubator Program?. This Notice is issued so that

interested parties are aware of the DOE?s intention to issue this Funding Opportunity Announcement in the near term. Any of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. The DOE will not entertain any questions or telephone calls at this time involving this

Notice. Once the Funding Opportunity

Announcement has been released, DOE will provide an avenue for potential applicants to submit questions. This is a Notice of Intent (NOI)

only. DOE is not accepting applications for

funding as a result of this notice. DOE may issue a FOA as described herein, may issue a FOA that is significantly different than the FOA described herein, or DOE may not issue a FOA at all.

https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Uriel Trujillo SunShot.Incubator@ee.doe.gov

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## http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246754

Golden Field Office

Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: DE-FOA-0001000

Funding Opportunity Title: Certification and Rating of Attachments for

Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT)

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Nov 5, 2013
Nov 5, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Feb 5, 2014
Archive Date:
Feb 5, 2014
May 6, 2014

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility: Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than

DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subrecipient, but are not eligible to apply as a

prime recipient.

Agency Name: Golden Field Office

**Description:** Through this Funding Opportunity Announcement

(FOA) the Building Technologies Office (BTO) seeks to establish a performance rating mechanism

for assessing the energy performance of fenestration attachments. DOE and the

fenestration attachments industry have identified accurate and objective performance data as a critical need for product adoption. The selected applicant to the Craft FOA will provide a third-party rating, certification, and labeling program, which will enable consumers to distinguish among energy-efficient attachment products and models. The underlying data will assist architects and

engineers in better understanding the energy impact of particular products. The Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) awardee will develop rating, certification, performance verification, and labeling standards for residential and commercial fenestration attachments. The successful applicant will also develop a Program to rate fenestration attachment energy performance and provide accurate and useful product comparison criteria. allowing end users in residential and commercial markets to assess the relative energy cost/benefits of fenestration attachments. "The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at https://eereexchange.energy.gov. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website https://eere-

exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website."

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246833

Golden Field Office

RFI - Administration Of The Wave Energy Converter Prize Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001048

**Funding Opportunity Title:** RFI - ADMINISTRATION OF THE WAVE

**ENERGY CONVERTER PRIZE** 

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Other **Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Dec 2, 2013 **Creation Date:** Dec 2, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 29, 2013 Responses to this RFI must be

submitted electronically to

WECPrizeRFI@go.doe.gov no later than 5:00pm

(ET) on December 29, 2013.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 29, 2013 Responses to this RFI must be

submitted electronically to

WECPrizeRFI@go.doe.gov no later than 5:00pm

(ET) on December 29, 2013.

Archive Date: Mar 29, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:**The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to solicit feedback from industry, academia

is to solicit feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on issues related to the use of a prize competition for advancing the development of new and next generation wave energy converter

devices. EERE is specifically interested in information on any obstacles or challenges that could limit stakeholder interest in applying to the proposed Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) for the administration of this prize competition. In addition, EERE is interested in gaining an understanding of the number of potential candidates who would likely have the qualifications, expertise, and experience to

successfully administer a WEC Prize competition. This RFI is intended to gather feedback from stakeholders prior to DOE potentially issuing a (FOA). This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is

not accepting applications at this time. All responses to this RFI must be provided as an attachment (in Microsoft Word format) to an e-

mail message addressed to

WECPrizeRFI@go.doe.gov. Responses must be received no later than 5:00PM ET on December 29, 2013. The full content of the announcement can be found on the EERE Exchange website at

https://eere-exchange.energy.gov.

Link to Additional Information: <u>EERE eXCHANGE</u>

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Yvette E. Peterson WECPrizeRFI@go.doe.gov

WECPrizeRFI@go.doe.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248673

#### Modifications

National Energy Technology Laboratory

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reductions Research and Development Leading to Cost-

Competitive Coal-to-Liquids (CTL) Based Jet Fuel Production

Modification 1

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0000981

Funding Opportunity Title: Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reductions Research

and Development Leading to Cost-Competitive Coal-to-Liquids (CTL) Based Jet Fuel Production

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Other **Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.089 -- Fossil Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Sep 3, 2013
Nov 8, 2013
Sep 30, 2013
Sep 30, 2013
Oct 30, 2013

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field

entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:**National Energy Technology Laboratory **Description:**R&D Aimed at Green House Gas (GHG)

Emissions Reductions and Cost Competitiveness for Mil-Spec Jet Fuel Production Using Coal-to-Liquid (CTL) Fuel Technologies - Request for

Informantion

Link to Additional Information: <u>fedconnect</u>

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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Amanda Lopez Contract Specialist Phone 304-

285-4220

**Contract Specialist** 

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=241616

Golden Field Office

U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015

Modification 1

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0000959

Funding Opportunity Title: U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 20

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Nov 1, 2013
Nov 20, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Dec 20, 2013
Mar 20, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:
\$1,000,000

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:**I. The purpose of this amendment is to make the

following change: Include informational webinar instructions for a webinar to be held on December

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

4th, 2013. Title: Solar Decathlon 2015 FOA Informational Webinar Date: Wednesday, December 4, 2013 Time: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM EST https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/68644477 6 After registering you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the Webinar. System Requirements: PC-based attendees: Required: Windows 8, 7, Vista, XP or 2003 Server Mac-based attendees: Required: Mac OS X 10.6 or newer Mobile attendees: Required: iPhone, iPad, Android phone or Android tablet II. All other parts of the FOA remain unchanged. III. The area which has changed is highlighted within the Funding Opportunity Announcement. The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website https://eereexchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx after logging in to the system.

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246373



## **Environmental Protection Agency**

## **National Funding Opportunities**

EPA has developed this guide of national funding resources to assist local and state governments, communities, and non-governmental organizations who are addressing the varied aspects of smart growth. Click here for state-specific resources.

Please note that this list is not an exhaustive compilation of all possible funding resources in the smart growth arena. It lists federal resources and directories of funding sources maintained by outside organizations.

For all available federal grants, see <u>www.grants.gov</u>, and for all federal funding programs, see the <u>Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance</u>.

- Affordable Housing and Community Development
- Brownfields
- Energy
- Foundations
- General Smart Growth or Environmental
- Green Building
- <u>Historic Preservation</u>
- Land Preservation and Conservation
- Rural and Agricultural
- Transportation (includes trails, bike, pedestrian)
- Water Quality, Wetlands, and Coasts

http://www.epa.gov/smartgrowth/national\_funding.htm



## http://www.epa.gov/epahome/grants.htm

# FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-OSWER-OBLR-13-07

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 61

**CFDA Number(s):** 66.818 -- Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup

Cooperative Agreements

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date: Nov 22, 2013 Creation Date: Nov 22, 2013 **Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Archive Date: Feb 21, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$14,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$200,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: See Section III of the announcement for additional

eligibility information.

**Agency Name:** Environmental Protection Agency

**Description:** The Small Business Liability Relief and

Brownfields Revitalization Act ("Brownfields

Law," P.L. 107-118) requires the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance to assist applicants in preparing

proposals for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofits to prevent, inventory, assess,

clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. EPA provides brownfields funding for three types of

grants: Brownfields Assessment Grants,

Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants, and Brownfields Cleanup Grants. Under this RFP, EPA is seeking proposals for Cleanup Grants, only, to provide funds to carry out cleanup activities at a specific brownfield site owned by

the applicant.

Link to Additional Information: FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Cleanup Grants

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Jeanette Mendes, Phone: 202-566-1887

Jeanette Mendes

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248236

FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-OSWER-OBLR-13-05

Funding Opportunity Title: FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment

Grants

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 198

**CFDA Number(s):** 66.818 -- Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup

Cooperative Agreements

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 22, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 22, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

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on submission methods and due dates.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Archive Date: Feb 21, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$40,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$200,000

Award Ceiling: \$200 Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for algrification

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Additional Information on Eligibility: See Section III of the announcement for additional

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clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. EPA provides brownfields funding for three types of

grants: Brownfields Assessment Grants,

Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants, and Brownfields Cleanup Grants. Under this RFP, EPA is seeking proposals for Assessment Grants, only, to provide funds to inventory, characterize, assess, and conduct planning (including cleanup planning) and community involvement related to

brownfield sites.

**Link to Additional Information:** FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Assessment

**Grants** 

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

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Jeanette Mendes

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FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grants

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-OSWER-OBLR-13-06

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan

Fund Grants

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 10

**CFDA Number(s):** 66.818 -- Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup

Cooperative Agreements

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date: Nov 22, 2013 Creation Date: Nov 22, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 22, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Archive Date: Feb 21, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$10,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: See Section III of the announcement for additional

eligibility information.

Agency Name: Environmental Protection Agency

**Description:** The Small Business Liability Relief and

Brownfields Revitalization Act ("Brownfields

Law," P.L. 107-118) requires the U.S.

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to publish guidance to assist applicants in preparing proposals for grants to assess and clean up brownfield sites. EPA's Brownfields Program provides funds to empower states, communities, tribes, and nonprofits to prevent, inventory, assess,

clean up, and reuse brownfield sites. EPA provides brownfields funding for three types of

grants: Brownfields Assessment Grants,

Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grants, and Brownfields Cleanup Grants. Under this RFP, EPA is seeking proposals for RLF Grants, only, to provide funds to capitalize a revolving fund and to make loans and provide subgrants to carry out

cleanup activities at brownfield sites.

Link to Additional Information: FY14 Guidelines for Brownfields Revolving Loan

**Fund Grants** 

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Jeanette Mendes, Phone: 202-566-1887

Jeanette Mendes

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248234

Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-Solving (EJCPS) Cooperative Agreement

Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-OECA-OEJ-14-01

Funding Opportunity Title: Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-

Solving (EJCPS) Cooperative Agreement Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 10

**CFDA Number(s):** 66.306 -- Environmental Justice Collaborative

Problem-Solving Cooperative Agreement

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Nov 19, 2013 Creation Date: Nov 22, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 18, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 18, 2014 Please refer to the announcement.

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

**Archive Date:** Mar 20, 2014

\$1,200,000 **Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling:** \$120,000

Award Floor: \$0

**Eligible Applicants:** Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: See Section III of the announcement for additional

eligibility information.

**Environmental Protection Agency Agency Name:** 

**Description:** The Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-Solving (EJCPS) Cooperative

Agreement Program provides funding for eligible

applicants for projects that address local

environmental and/or public health issues within an affected community. The EJCPS Program is designed to help communities understand and address exposure to multiple environmental harms

and risks.

**Link to Additional Information:** Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-

Solving Cooperative Agreement Program

If you have difficulty accessing the full **Contact Information:** 

announcement electronically, please contact:

Sheritta Woodruff Taylor, Phone: 202-564-1771

Sheritta Woodruff

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247934

Systems-Based Research For Evaluating Ecological Impacts Of Manufactured Chemicals

Grant

**Grants Notice Document Type:** 

**Funding Opportunity Number:** EPA-G2014-STAR-E1

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Systems-Based Research For Evaluating

**Ecological Impacts Of Manufactured Chemicals** 

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Cooperative Agreement **Funding Instrument Type:** 

Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:** Environment

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 66.509 -- Science To Achieve Results (STAR)

Research Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Dec 4, 2013 Creation Date: Dec 4, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Mar 4, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 4, 2014 Please refer to the announcement,

including Section IV, for additional information

on submission methods and due dates.

Archive Date: Apr 3, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$4,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$800,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: See Section III of the announcement for additional

eligibility information.

**Agency Name:** Environmental Protection Agency

**Description:** The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

(EPA), as part of its Science to Achieve Results (STAR) program, is seeking applications focusing on integrated, transdisciplinary research that would advance scientific understanding of potential for impacts to ecosystem wellbeing

associated with the use of manufactured chemicals. Specifically, the RFA would solicit proposals for systems-based research to develop and apply innovative metrics and modeling

approaches to improve evaluation of ecological resilience and impact analyses, and to support environmental sustainability. Successful proposals will translate emerging and advanced methods,

data, and computational tools to address

complexity of these systems and distill drivers of adverse outcomes to ecological organisms and

populations.

Link to Additional Information: Systems-Based Research for Evaluating

**Ecological Impacts of Manufactured Chemicals** 

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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Todd Peterson, Phone: 703-308-7224

**Todd Peterson** 

## Modifications:

Cooperative Training Partnership in Environmental Health Sciences Research Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246753

Environmental Justice Collaborative Problem-Solving (EJCPS) Cooperative Agreement Program

Modification 1

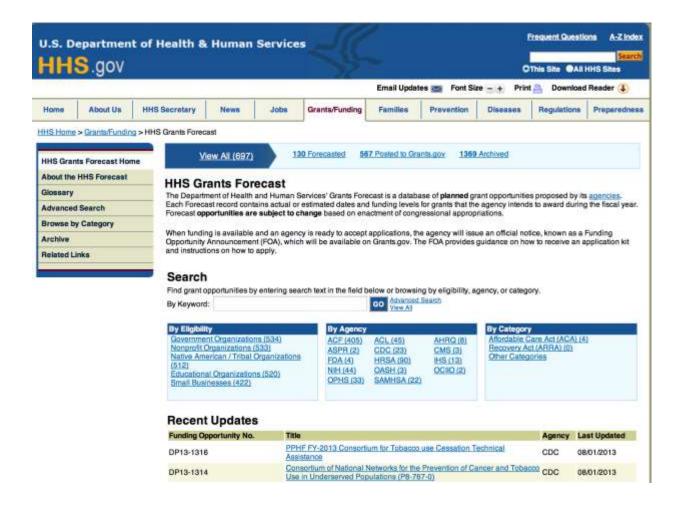
http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247934

## **Department of Health and Human Services**

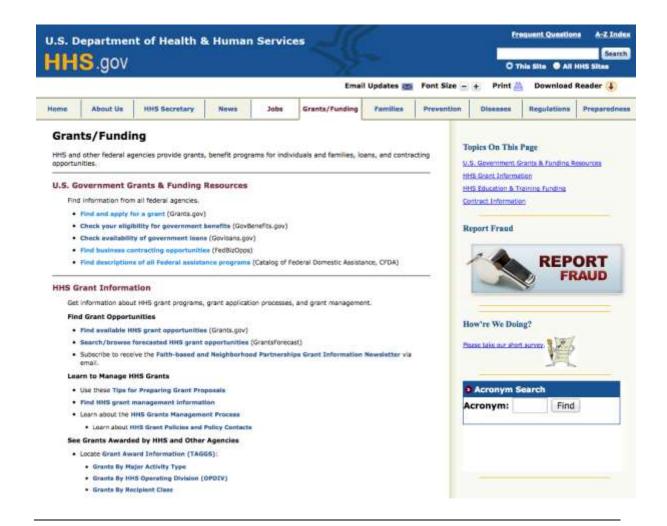
## Grants Forecast and Overview

The Department of Health and Human Services' Grants Forecast is a database of planned grant opportunities proposed by its <u>agencies</u>. Each Forecast record contains actual or estimated dates and funding levels for grants that the agency intends to award during the fiscal year. Forecast opportunities are subject to change based on enactment of congressional appropriations.

Go to the webpage below for more information.



For more general information about HHS Grants and Funding go to the website below at: http://www.hhs.gov/grants/.



#### Research:

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality

Deliberative Approaches: Patient and Consumer Input for Implementing Evidence-Based Health Care (R21) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248453

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality

Patient Safety Learning Laboratories: Innovative Design and Development to Improve Healthcare Delivery Systems (P30) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248194

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality

Exploratory and Developmental Grant to Improve Health Care Quality through Health Information Technology (IT) (R21) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247579

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality

Advancing Patient Safety Implementation through Safe Medication Use Research (R18)

#### Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247638

## Health Resources & Services Administration

National Training and Technical Assistance Cooperative Agreements (NCAs) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248196

Health Resources & Services Administration

Nurse Education, Practice, Quality and Retention (NEPQR) Program - Interprofessional Collaborative Practice Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248734

## Health Resources & Services Administration

Nursing Workforce Diversity (NWD) Program Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248755

#### National Institutes of Health

The Palliative Care Research Cooperative (PCRC): Enhancing Sustainability and Building the Science of Palliative Care (R01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248815

## National Institutes of Health

Exceptional Unconventional Research Enabling Knowledge Acceleration (EUREKA) for Neuroscience and Disorders of the Nervous System (R01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247313

#### National Institutes of Health

Collaborative Activities to Promote Metabolomics Research (Admin Supp) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247643">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247643</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Redefining Pulmonary Hypertension through Pulmonary Vascular Disease Phenomics: Data Coordinating Center (DCC) (U01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248301

## National Institutes of Health

Redefining Pulmonary Hypertension through Pulmonary Vascular Disease Phenomics: Clinical Centers (CC) (U01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248302

#### National Institutes of Health

NCI Community Oncology Research Program (NCORP) - Community Sites (UM1) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247233

## National Institutes of Health

## NCI Community Oncology Research Program (NCORP) Research Bases (UM1) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247234

## National Institutes of Health

NCI Community Oncology Research Program (NCORP) - Minority/Underserved Community Sites (UM1) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247235

#### National Institutes of Health

Small Business Innovation Research to Develop New Therapeutics and Monitoring Technologies for Type 1 Diabetes (T1D): Towards an Artificial Pancreas (SBIR) (R43/R44) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248816

## National Institutes of Health

New Computational Methods for Understanding the Functional Role of DNA Variants that are Associated with Mental Disorders (Collaborative R01) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247577">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247577</a>

## National Institutes of Health

New Computational Methods for Understanding the Functional Role of DNA Variants that are Associated with Mental Disorders (R01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247578

## National Institutes of Health

NCI Small Grants Program for Cancer Research (NCI Omnibus R03) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248113">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248113</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Animal and Biological Material Resource Centers (P40) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248093

## National Institutes of Health

Seeding Collaborations for Translational Research to Discover and Develop New Therapies for Diseases and Conditions within NIDDK's Mission (Revisions) (R01) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248074

#### National Institutes of Health

George M. O'Brien Urology Cooperative Research Centers Program (U54) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247753">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247753</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Development of a Microfluidic Platform for Blood Testing in Neonatal and Pediatric Patients SBIR (R43/R44) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247754

#### National Institutes of Health

International Collaborations in Infectious Diseases Research (U01) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248454">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248454</a>

### National Institutes of Health

International Collaborations in Infectious Diseases Research (U19) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248456">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248456</a>

#### National Institutes of Health

Superfund Hazardous Substance Research and Training Program (P42) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247793">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247793</a>

#### National Institutes of Health

Biomarkers for Diabetes Complications - Non-Invasive Measures in the Eye (DP3) Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246896

#### National Institutes of Health

Cancer Center Support Grants (CCSGs) for NCI-designated Cancer Centers (P30) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246993

## National Institutes of Health

Low-Cost, Pragmatic, Patient-Centered Randomized Controlled Intervention Trials (UH2/UH3) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247014

#### National Institutes of Health

Development of Opioid and Adjuvant Fixed Combination Dosage Forms for the Treatment of Chronic Pain with Reduced Addiction Potential (R41/R42) Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247033

## National Institutes of Health

Development of Opioid and Adjuvant Fixed Combination Dosage Forms for the Treatment of Chronic Pain with Reduced Addiction Potential (R43/R44) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247034">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247034</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Discovery of Molecular Targets for Pregnancy-Related/Induced Diseases and Development of Therapeutics to Prevent/Treat These Diseases (SBIR) (R43/R44) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247093

## National Institutes of Health

Discovery of Molecular Targets for Pregnancy-Related/Induced Diseases and

Development of Therapeutics to Prevent/Treat These Diseases (R01) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247094">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247094</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Indo-US Collaborative Program on Affordable Medical Devices (R03) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247574">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247574</a>

## National Institutes of Health

Discovery of Molecular Targets for Pregnancy-Related/Induced Diseases and Development of Therapeutics to Prevent/Treat These Diseases (STTR) (R41/R42) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247095

## National Institutes of Health

Identification of Gene Variants for Addiction Related Traits by Next-Gen Sequencing in Model Organisms Selectively Bred for Addiction Traits (UH2/UH3) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248214">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248214</a>

#### National Institutes of Health

Secondary Data Analyses to Explore NIMH Research Domain Criteria (R03) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248215">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248215</a>

#### National Institutes of Health

NIDCD Research Grants for Translating Basic Research into Clinical Tools (R01) Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248216">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248216</a>

#### Modifications:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

ATSDRs Program to Promote Localized Efforts To Reduce Environmental Exposure (APPLETREE)

Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247773

Health Resources & Services Administration

Rural Health Network Development Planning Program

Modifications 1 & 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247677

Health Resources & Services Administration

Primary Care Services Resources Coordination and Development

Modifications 1 & 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246254

Health Resources & Services Administration

HIV Early Intervention Services (EIS Program) Existing Geographic Service Areas

# (EISEGA) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246353

Health Resources & Services Administration

HIV Early Intervention Services (EIS Program) Existing Geographic Service Areas (EISEGA)

Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246353

National Institutes of Health

Pilot Clinical Trials to Eliminate the Latent HIV Reservoir (U01) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245353

National Institutes of Health

Planning for a National Center for Particle Beam Radiation Therapy Research (P20) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244453

National Institutes of Health

Developmental Origins of Health and Disease (DOHaD): Epigenetic Modification in Gametogenesis and Transgenerational Inheritance (R01) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246694

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health

Announcement of the Anticipated Availability of Funds for Research on Research Integrity

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248593



## **Department of Homeland Security**

The Department of Homeland Security enhances the ability of states, local and tribal jurisdictions, and other regional authorities in the preparation, prevention, and response to

terrorist attacks and other disasters, by distributing grant funds. Localities can use grants for planning, equipment, training and exercise needs.

## **OMB** Circulars

Assistance to State and Local Governments OMB Circular A-87 OMB Circular A-102

Assistance to Colleges and Universities OMB Circular A-21 OMB Circular A-110

Assistance to Non-profit Organizations OMB Circular A-110 OMB Circular A-122

Audit Guidance OMB Circular A-133



Webpage can be viewed at: <a href="http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2">http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2</a>

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request now.

- <u>FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide</u>. This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet. This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

## **Video Resources**

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The <u>FP&S Grants video</u> gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The <u>Community Risk Assessment video</u> describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

## **Website Resources**

Visit the <u>FP&S Grants home page</u> on the <u>Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG) website</u> to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

U.S. Department of Homeland Security Washington, DC 20472



#### Dear FEMA Grantee:

In August 2011, Congress passed the Budget Control Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-25) to limit federal spending and reduce our national debt. To enforce annual spending limits, that law requires across-the-board funding reductions to almost every federal program, project, and activity through a process called "sequestration."

As a consequence, all federal agencies, including FEMA, will have to implement steep funding cuts, beginning in the current fiscal year. Leadership throughout FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security have been working hard to determine how we might best mitigate the impact of possible sequestration budget reductions on our state, local, tribal, territorial, non-profit and private sector partners.

Nonetheless, the sequestration order issued on March 1, 2013 will result in FEMA's current Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 funding levels being reduced by approximately 5%. This will result in a reduction to FEMA's State and Local grant funding levels of approximately \$104 million.

The sequestration reductions will affect FY 2013 funding levels for all GPD grants, subject to FEMA's final FY 2013 appropriation. Sequestration will not affect grants or cooperative agreements awarded in previous fiscal years.

We recognize the hardships that sequestration is likely to cause and thank you for your cooperation as we work together to manage these unfortunate circumstances. We value the important work that you do and appreciate your dedication to the security and resilience of the Nation. As always, your thoughts, questions and concerns are welcome.

Sincerely,

David J. Kaufman

Acting Assistant Administrator Grant Programs Directorate

#### Federal Funding Alternative To AFG

**State Administrative Agencies (SAA)** apply for and administer Federal grants on behalf of their States, including FEMA Preparedness Grants. The SAA will work with eligible organizations to comply with the general requirements of grant programs or cooperative agreements. Contact your State's SAA to find out what current Federal funding opportunities may be available to your organization. A listing of the SAAs and points of contact can be found at <a href="http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363">http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363</a>.

# HUD.GOV U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development



## **Department of Housing and Urban Development**

Secretary Shaun Donovan





#### **HUD - Notice of Funds Available**

For detailed information click here

FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

- General Section
- FONSI
- New Application Attachment Filename Requirement

Funding Opportunity Number: FR-5700-N-01

**Opportunity Title:** Policy Requirements and General Section

**Competition ID:** GS-01

**CFDA No.:** 14. - All of HUD programs will start with 14. \_\_\_\_

Open Date: July 23, 2012 Close Date: December 31, 2013

**Contact:** For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Grants Management

Division, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, Room 3156, Washington, DC 20410-3000, telephone number (202) 708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** To help applicants with electronic application registration and submission, HUD advises applicants to use the help features on the Dun and Bradstreet (D&B), Central Contractor Registration (CCR)/ SAM.gov, and Grants.gov websites. These sites all have User Guides and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) which are updated on an ongoing basis. HUD believes that early publication of this General Section is beneficial to prospective applicants by providing advance notice of the Department's Strategic Plan Goals, Policy Priorities, NOFA threshold requirements and other requirements that are applicable to individual FY2013 program NOFAs.

• Individuals looking for assistance, please note: HUD does not provide grants and/or loans directly to individuals – the funding is made available to state and local governments; public housing agencies (PHAs); nonprofit organizations including colleges and universities; Indian tribes and tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs); graduate students; public housing resident organizations; owners of federally assisted low-income housing; and for-profit professional and technical services companies, however we do have a website, which provides resource information which may be of assistance to you. Individuals may visit the <a href="USA.gov">USA.gov</a> website. This site allows you to complete a questionnaire; all of the questions must be answered in order to obtain an initial list of benefit results and to move on to the next sections of the Benefit Finder. Providing any additional information will further increase the accuracy of the individuals result. The website is user friendly; once the questionnaire is complete the site directs the individual to click the "View Benefit Results" tab to see a listing of programs that they may be eligible to receive.

Fiscal Year 2013 and Fiscal Year 2014 Continuum of Care Program Competition Grant

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Nov 22, 2013
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Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:
FR-5700-N-31B

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Fiscal Year 2013 and Fiscal Year 2014 Continuum of Care Program Competition

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

Housing

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 14.267 -- Continuum of Care Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** 

**Eligible Applicants:** 

Additional Information on Eligibility:

**Agency Name: Description:** 

Yes

Small businesses

a. CoC Consolidated Applications. CoCs were required to designate a Collaborative Applicant to submit the CoC Consolidated Application on behalf of the CoC as part of the FY 2013 CoC Registration process. Collaborative Applicants will not be able to access the CoC Consolidated Application in e-snaps if the CoC does not have an approved Registration. The Collaborative Applicant approved by HUD during the FY 2013 registration process must be the same entity that submits the CoC Consolidated Application – which includes the CoC Application, Priority Listings that list all project applications accepted and ranked or rejected in the CoC local competition, and the Project Application – during the CoC Program Competition. CoCs should not attempt to change Collaborative Applicants during the CoC Program Competition without HUD's prior approval.

Department of Housing and Urban Development The CoC Program is designed to promote a community-wide commitment to the goal of ending homelessness; to provide funding for efforts by nonprofit providers, States, and local governments to quickly re-house the homeless while minimizing the trauma and dislocation caused by homelessness; to promote access to and effective utilization of mainstream programs by the homeless; and to optimize self-sufficiency among those experiencing homelessness. For the CoC Program Competition, approximately \$1.7 billion is available for FY 2013 after adjustments were made as a result of sequestration. HUD does not anticipate that this will be adequate to fund all existing projects eligible for renewal with FY2013 funds. HUD may add to this amount any available funds that have been carried over or recaptured from previous fiscal years. All of the requirements for applying for FY 2013 funds, including requirements for the entire CoC Consolidated Application and the total amount of funding available, are contained in this NOFA. For FY 2014, the level of funding for the CoC Program is not yet known. The Continuing Appropriations

Act, 2014 (Public Law 113-46, approved October 17, 2013) funds HUD operations and programs at FY 2013 levels, but provides such funding only through January 15, 2014. Nevertheless for purposes of expediency and efficiency, this FY 2013 – FY 2014 CoC Program NOFA (CoC Program NOFA) will award funds made available for the CoC Program under FY 2013 and FY 2014. When the level of funding is known for FY 2014, HUD will announce this amount through separate notice. In this separate notice; HUD will also publish the deadlines for submitting the information required by HUD. For more information on applying for FY 2014 funds under this NOFA

**Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:** 

<u>CoC Program Competition Resources</u>
If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Questions regarding specific program requirements should be directed to the local HUD CPD Field Office.

Field Office Directory

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248153

Modifications



**Institute of Museum and Library Services** 



#### www.imls.gov

Each grant program has specific eligibility requirements. The links below provide general eligibility criteria for museums, libraries, and tribal organizations, but please note that additional organizations may be eligible for grants under certain programs. Additionally, ineligible organizations may still be able to participate in grant programs through partnerships with eligible organizations. Please click on the links below to see general criteria and review Applications and Guidelines for specific information.

#### **Museums Libraries Tribal Organizations**

#### **National Leadership Grants for Libraries**

February 1, 2014

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Demonstration, Digital Collections/Tools, Formal Education, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Public Programs, Research

**Institutions:** Archives, Federally Recognized Native American Tribe, Historical Society, Library, Nonprofits that serve Native Hawaiians, Professional Association, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, Regional Organization, State Library Administrative Agency, State or Local Government

## **Native American Library Services: Basic Grants**

March 3, 2014

**Project Types:** Collections Management, Community Engagement, Informal Learning,

Professional Development/Continuing Education, Public Programs

**Institutions:** Federally Recognized Native American Tribe

## **Native American Library Services: Enhancement Grants**

March 3, 2014

Project Types: Collections Management, Community Engagement, Digital

Collections/Tools, Informal Learning, Partnerships, Professional Development/Continuing

Education

**Institutions:** Federally Recognized Native American Tribe

Check out IMLS's new Facebook page at: https://www.facebook.com/USIMLS

Sparks! Ignition Grants for Libraries Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** SPARKS-LIBRARIES-FY14 **Funding Opportunity Title:** Sparks! Ignition Grants for Libraries

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Award Floor:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 12

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.312 -- National Leadership Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

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Mar 5, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:
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Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** To be eligible for an award under the FY2014

\$10,000

Sparks! Ignition Grants for Libraries program, you must meet all three of the following criteria: • You must be either a unit of state or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code. • You must be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau. • You must qualify as one of the following types of organizations: 1. A library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a state agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person, must be either generally recognized as possessing unique scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS. 2. A private library or other special library, but only if the State in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see (20 USC 9122(1)(E)). 3. An academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application. 4. A digital library, if it makes library materials publicly

**Agency Name: Description:** 

**Link to Additional Information:** 

**Contact Information:** 

available and provides library services. including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person. 5. A library agency that is an official agency of a state or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction; 6. A library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries. 7. A library association that exists on a permanent basis, serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, state, or local level, and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession. Institute of Museum and Library Services Sparks! Ignition Grants for Libraries (Sparks Grants) are a special funding opportunity within the IMLS National Leadership Grants for Libraries program. These small grants encourage libraries, and archives to prototype and evaluate specific innovations in the ways they operate and the services they provide, resulting in new tools, products, services, or organizational practices. You may propose activities or approaches that involve risk, as long as the project results – be they success, failure, or a combination thereof – offer valuable information to the library field and the potential for improvement in the ways libraries serve their communities. You are required to submit a short white paper, with the results of your work to be publicly posted and shared with the field.

<u>http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?G</u>
rantId=19

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#### Modifications:

National Leadership Grants for Libraries Modification 1

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** NLG-LIBRARIES-FY14

Funding Opportunity Title: National Leadership Grants for Libraries

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 40

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.312 -- National Leadership Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

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Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$10,000,000

Award Ceiling:\$500,000Award Floor:\$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
To be eligible as a library applicant for a

Additional Information on Eligibility:

To be eligible as a library applicant for a
National Leadership Grant, you must • be
either a unit of state or local government or
be a private nonprofit organization that has

tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; • be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto

Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and • qualify as one of the following: ◦ a library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a state agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person and be either generally recognized as possessing unique, scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS.; a private library or other special library, but only if the state in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see 20 U.S.C. 9121-9165); an academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application; a digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person; a library agency that is an official agency of a state or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction; a library consortium that is a

**Agency Name: Description:** 

**Link to Additional Information:** 

**Contact Information:** 

local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries; or; a library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national. regional, state, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession. Institute of Museum and Library Services The NLG-Libraries program supports projects that address challenges faced by the library and archive fields and that have the potential to advance practice in those fields. Successful proposals will generate results such as new tools, research findings, models, services, practices, or alliances that can be widely used, adapted, scaled, or replicated to extend the benefits of federal investment. While it encourages and will consider applications in all such areas, IMLS is particularly interested in projects that will support: early learning; STEM; learning spaces in libraries; national digital platform; and civic literacy. http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?G

rantId=14

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246093

### **Department of the Interior**

Working with Interior

The Interior Department provides assistance to the public, local governments and businesses through a number of programs. For a general overview see: http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm

Businesses should go to: <a href="http://www.doi.gov/businesses/index.cfm">http://www.doi.gov/businesses/index.cfm</a>



http://www.doi.gov/businesses/working-with-interior.cfm

Fish and Wildlife Service The Coastal Program Grant

Document Type:Grants NoticeFunding Opportunity Number:F14AS00018Funding Opportunity Title:Coastal ProgramOpportunity Category:DiscretionaryFunding Instrument Type:Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

Natural Resources

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 500

**CFDA Number(s):** 15.630 -- Coastal Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Nov 5, 2013Creation Date:Nov 8, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2014

Archive Date: Oct 5, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$6,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$500,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: City or township governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

Native American tribal organizations (other than

Federally recognized tribal governments)

State governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Individuals

County governments

Special district governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Private institutions of higher education

Small businesses

For profit organizations other than small

businesses

**Agency Name:** Fish and Wildlife Service **Description:** The Coastal Program is a

The Coastal Program is a voluntary, incentivebased program that provides direct technical assistance and financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to coastal communities and landowners to restore and protect fish and wildlife habitat on public and private lands. Coastal Program staff coordinate with project

partners, stakeholders and other Service

programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are

where the Coastal Program directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional Coastal

Program office prior to submitting an application

for funding.

Link to Additional Information: Click on Full Announcement icon at top of page

to access complete Notice of Funding

**Availability** 

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Fish and Wildlife Service

Partners for Fish and Wildlife 2014 Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: F14AS00015

Funding Opportunity Title: Partners for Fish and Wildlife 2014

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment
Natural Resources

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 5000

**CFDA Number(s):** 15.631 -- Partners for Fish and Wildlife

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Applications will due a least 30 days

before the end of FY14

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Applications will due a least 30 days

before the end of FY14

Oct 1, 2014 \$22,000,000 \$500,000

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**Eligible Applicants:** Individuals

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3)

status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Small businesses

Public and State controlled institutions

of higher education State governments

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal

governments)

County governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

City or township governments

Fish and Wildlife Service

The Partners for Fish and Wildlife (PFW) Program is a voluntary,

incentive-based program that provides direct technical assistance and financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to private landowners to restore and conserve fish and wildlife habitat for the benefit of federal trust resources. The PFW Program is delivered through more than 250 fulltime staff, active in all 50 States and territories. Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program staff coordinate with project partners, stakeholders, and other Fish and Wildlife Service (Service)programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are where the PFW Program

Agency Name: Description:

**Archive Date:** 

**Award Ceiling:** 

**Award Floor:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

**Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:** 

directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this opportunity. Applications seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional PFW Program office prior to submitting an application for funding. http://www.grants.gov If you have difficulty accessing the full

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246673

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## **Department of Justice**

#### **Grants and Contract Overview**

The Department offers funding opportunities to conduct research, to support law enforcement activities in state and local jurisdictions, to provide training and technical assistance, and to implement programs that improve the criminal justice system.

The DOJ agencies listed below also have sites that provide grant information specific to that agency. Examples of what can be found on these sites are programs, funding opportunities, application assistance, and other useful information.

- Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)
- Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)
- National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS)
- National Institute of Justice (NIJ)
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)
- Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART)
- Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)



http://www.justice.gov/business/

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#### **Department of Labor**

Agency Grants and Contract General Overview

Department of Labor Grant Programs

- **Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB)**: provides grants (cooperative agreements) for the implementation of projects designed to assist developing countries combat the worse forms of child labor, forced labor, and human trafficking; and support worker rights and improve working conditions.

  Solicitations for grant applications are announced on <a href="www.grants.gov/">www.grants.gov/</a> and at <a href="www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm">www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm</a>. ILAB grants are awarded by the <a href="main.gov/">OASAM grant office</a>.
- **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS):** provides project grants (cooperative agreements) and the dissemination of technical statistical data and related information on labor force activities; provides data on prices (CPI) and cost of living; data on productivity and technology data; data on compensation and working conditions; data on employment projections.
- Employment and Training (ETA): ETA administers financial assistance programs pursuant to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), administering State formula grant programs for youth, adults and dislocated workers, national emergency grants for workers affected by mass layoffs, plant closures, and disasters; grant programs for workers with disabilities, Indians and Native Americans, and for migrant and seasonal farmworkers. ETA also administers grant programs for older American workers, apprenticeship programs, Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, and assistance for research and development of workforce programs. In addition, ETA is responsible for the operation and maintenance of a national system of public employment service offices and for the national unemployment insurance program.
- Mine Safety and Health (MSHA): provides grants for research, education and training programs to ensure an adequate and competent staff of trained inspectors;

- and assistance for establishing or improving State mine health and safety programs through technical assistance.
- Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA): provides grants to non-profit organizations to provide training, educational services, and technical assistance; assistance to states to administer and enforce state programs; assistance to states to provide occupational safety and health technical assistance and consultant services.
- Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP): The Office of Disability Employment Policy awards competitive grants establishing short-term pilot and technical assistance projects designed to identify, develop, test, evaluate, and disseminate policies to increase employment by expanding access to training, education, employment supports, assistive and systems technology, integrated employment, entrepreneurial development, and small business opportunities for adults and youth with disabilities. Current pilots projects focus on customized employment, Olmstead populations, and innovative demonstration youth grants, among others. Solicitations for grant applications are published in the Federal Register and announced at <a href="https://www.dol.gov/odep">www.dol.gov/odep</a>. ODEP grants are awarded by the OASAM grant office.
- Veterans' Employment and Training (VETS): provides special employment and training assistance for veterans through the <u>Disabled Veterans' Outreach Program</u> (<u>DVOP</u>) Solicitation for Grant Applications; the <u>Local Veterans' Employment Representative Program (LVER)</u>; <u>Veterans' Workforce Investment Program (VWIP</u>); elaws Advisor on veterans' employment and reemployment rights; and the <u>Homeless Veterans Reintegration Project (HVRP</u>). VETS grants are awarded by the <u>OASAM grant office</u>.



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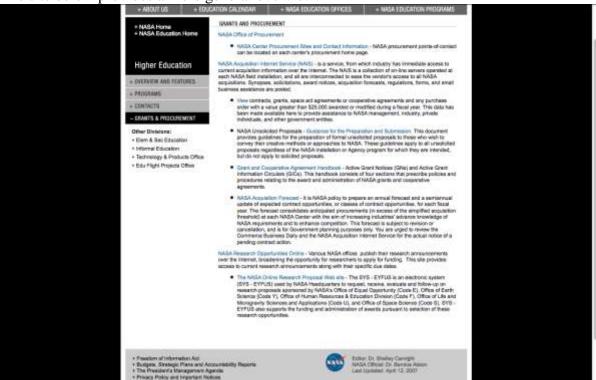


**National Aeronautics and Space Administration** 

## **Research and Contracting Opportunities**

NASA Research Opportunities Online - Various NASA offices publish their research announcements over the Internet, broadening the opportunity for researchers to apply for funding. This site provides access to current research announcements along with their specific due dates.

The site below provides a more general overview.



http://education1.nasa.gov/divisions/higher/grants/index.html

#### NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2013: Atmospheric Composition Campaign Data Analysis and Modeling Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248306">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248306</a>

#### NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2013: Suomi National Polar-orbiting Partnership (NPP) Science Team and Science Investigator-led Processing Systems for Earth System Data Records From Suomi NPP Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248633

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## NASA Headquarters Spaceflight Research Opportunities in Space Biology Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247775

#### National Archives and Records Administration

## Grant Opportunities General Overview

To access the information below: click here

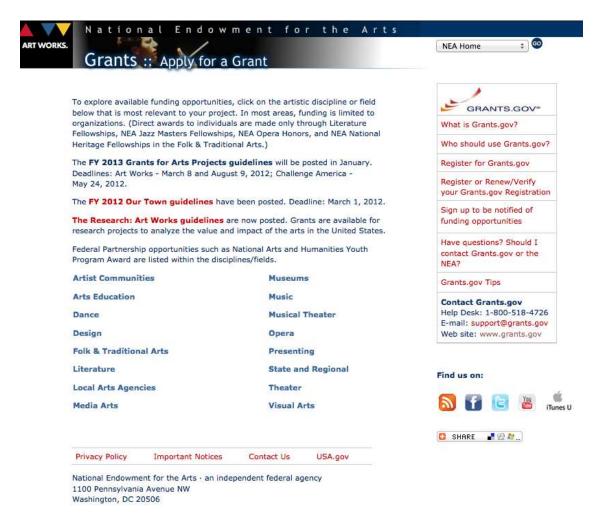


#### **National Endowment for the Arts**

Agency Grant Overview - http://nea.gov/grants/apply/index.html

For an overview of the NEA's funding opportunities, please see the **NEA Grants Workshop** presentation.

The series of **Arts Works guidelines webinars** for each discipline has now concluded. All of **the sessions are archived** on our YouTube channel.



United States Mint Call for Artists: Seeking Artists to Design United States Coins and

Medals Grant

**Document Type:**Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: 2014NEA03MINT

Funding Opportunity Title: United States Mint Call for Artists: Seeking

Artists to Design United States Coins and Medals

**Opportunity Category:** Other

Funding Instrument Type: Procurement Contract

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to

Organizations and Individuals

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 6, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 6, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 10, 2014 "The Grants.gov system must

receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on January

10, 2014.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 10, 2014 "The Grants.gov system must

receive your validated and accepted application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on January

10, 2014.

Archive Date: Feb 9, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling:\$8,000Award Floor:\$2,000Eligible Applicants:Individuals

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** To quali

To qualify you must be a citizen of the United States, you must be willing to accept the Terms and Conditions [link to Terms and Conditions], and you must be an established professional artist, defined as one who meets all of the following criteria: • has at least five years of relevant work experience, or has received specialized training in his or her artistic field, such as a degree or certification • derives a portion of his or her individual earned income from his or her art or areas related to his or her art • has experience in digital art techniques such as use of Photoshop, Adobe Acrobat, Illustrator, Wacom tablets or similar technology • has a professional portfolio

National Endowment for the Arts

The United States Mint is seeking artists interested in taking coin and medal design in new directions and trying new approaches as part of our endeavor to ensure that the designs on United States coins and medals are of the highest quality to best represent our country for years to come. The United States Mint will award contracts to up to 20 artists to participate in the United States Mint Artistic Infusion Program (AIP) and submit designs for selected coin and medal programs.

that includes published or publicly displayed art

Agency Name: Description:

Depending on the number of active years in the AIP, artists receive between \$2000 and \$3000 for each design submission and an additional \$5000 if their design is selected and used for a coin or medal design. All selected designs are sculpted by United States Mint Sculptor-Engravers, who also prepare designs for coin and medal programs. Artists of selected designs are named as designer in historical documents, Certificates of Authenticity and promotional materials. In most cases, the artist's initials appear on the final coins or medals (along with the initials of the United States Mint Sculptor-Engraver who sculpted the selected design).

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

Complete Web Site Announcement

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NEA Web Manager NEA Web Manager

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246854

**National Endowment for the Humanities** 

**Grant Overview** - <a href="http://www.neh.gov/grants/grantsbydivision.html">http://www.neh.gov/grants/grantsbydivision.html</a>



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NEH offers grants in the following categories:

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- Challenge Grants
- · Education Programs
- · Federal/State Partnership
- Office of Digital Humanities
- We the People

Preservation and Access

· Public Programs

· Research Programs

Principles of Civility for NEH Seminars, Institutes, and Workshops.

Learn more about the Divisions and Offices that administer NEH grant programs.

An alphabetical listing of grant programs and deadlines is also available.

Guidelines: To obtain application materials, click on the name of the grant program.

Forms: Links to the forms you will need to complete an application are noted at the beginning of each guideline. In order to download all of the necessary materials, you will need to have the free Adobe Reader installed.

#### **Bridging Cultures**

Program Receipt Deadline Projects
Beginning

Bridging Cultures at August 23, 2011 February 2012

Community Colleges Cooperative Agreement

Bridging Cultures: Aug

August 2, 2011

January 2012

## Media Projects Grant

Document Type:Grants NoticeFunding Opportunity Number:20140108-TDFunding Opportunity Title:Media ProjectsOpportunity Category:Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 10

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities Public

**Programs** 

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Nov 5, 2013Creation Date:Nov 8, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Jan 8, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Jan 8, 2014

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000

Award Floor: Eligible Applicants:

Agency Name: Description:

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City or township governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education

State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

County governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Special district governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education National Endowment for the Humanities Media Projects grants support the following formats: interactive digital media; film and television projects; and radio projects. Interactive digital media may be websites, games, mobile applications, virtual environments, streaming video, podcasts, or other digital formats. Film and television projects may be single programs or a series addressing significant figures, events, or ideas and drawing their content from humanities scholarship. The programs must be intended for national distribution. The program welcomes projects ranging in length from short-form to broadcast-length video. Radio projects may involve single programs, limited series, or segments within an ongoing program. They may also develop new humanities content to augment existing radio programming or add greater historical background or humanities analysis to the subjects of existing programs. They may be intended for regional or national distribution. NEH encourages projects that feature multiple formats to engage the public in the exploration of humanities ideas. Proposed projects might include complementary components that expand or deepen the audience's understanding of a subject: for example, museum exhibitions, book/film discussion programs, or other formats that engage audiences in new ways. Media Projects grants may not, however, be used to support programs. general operating costs. Grant Categories Development grants enable media producers to

collaborate with scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare programs for production. Grants should result in a script or a design document and should also yield a detailed plan for outreach and public engagement in collaboration with a partner organization or organizations. Production grants support the production and distribution of digital projects, films, television

programs, radio programs, and related programs

that promise to engage the public.

Link to Additional Information: <a href="http://www.neh.gov/grants/mp">http://www.neh.gov/grants/mp</a>

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Division of Public Programs National Endowment for the Humanities Room 426 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20506 202-606-8269 publicpgms@neh.gov publicpgms@neh.gov

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246714

Digital Humanities Implementation Grants

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: 20140219-HK

Funding Opportunity Title: Digital Humanities Implementation Grants

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.169 -- Promotion of the Humanities Office of

**Digital Humanities** 

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Nov 26, 2013Creation Date:Nov 26, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Feb 19, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Feb 19, 2014

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling:\$325,000Award Floor:\$100,000

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Agency Name: Description:

State governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Special district governments Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments County governments National Endowment for the Humanities This program is designed to fund the implementation of innovative digital-humanities projects that have successfully completed a startup phase and demonstrated their value to the field. Such projects might enhance our understanding of central problems in the humanities, raise new questions in the humanities, or develop new digital applications and approaches for use in the humanities. The program can support innovative digital-humanities projects that address multiple audiences, including scholars, teachers, librarians, and the public. Applications from recipients of NEH's Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants are welcome. Unlike NEH's start-up grant program, which emphasizes basic research, prototyping, experimentation, and potential impact, the Digital Humanities Implementation Grants program seeks to identify projects that have successfully completed their start-up phase and are well positioned to have a major impact. Proposals are welcome for digital initiatives in any area of the humanities. Digital Humanities Implementation Grants may involve research that brings new approaches or documents best practices in the

study of the digital humanities; implementation of computationally-based methods or techniques for humanities research; implementation of new digital tools for use in humanities research, public programming, or educational settings; efforts to ensure the completion and long-term sustainability

conjunction with a library or archive); scholarship

philosophy of digital culture and its impact on

of existing digital resources (typically in

that examines the history, criticism, and

society; scholarship or studies that examine the philosophical or practical implications of the use of emerging technologies in specific fields or disciplines of the humanities, or in interdisciplinary collaborations involving several fields or disciplines; or implementation of new digital modes of scholarly communication that facilitate peer review, collaboration, or the dissemination of humanities scholarship for various audiences.

**Link to Additional Information:** 

http://www.neh.gov/grants/odh/digitalhumanities-implementation-grants
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**Contact Information:** 

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If you have questions about the program, contact the ODH staff at odh@neh.gov. Applicants wishing to speak to a staff member by telephone should provide in an e-mail message a telephone number and a preferred time to call. odh@neh.gov odh@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248354

#### **Modifications:**

Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations And Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247073

Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections Modification 4

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National Digital Newspaper Program Modification 1

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Collaborative Research Modification 1

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Scholarly Editions and Translations

#### Modification 1

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Media Projects Modification 1

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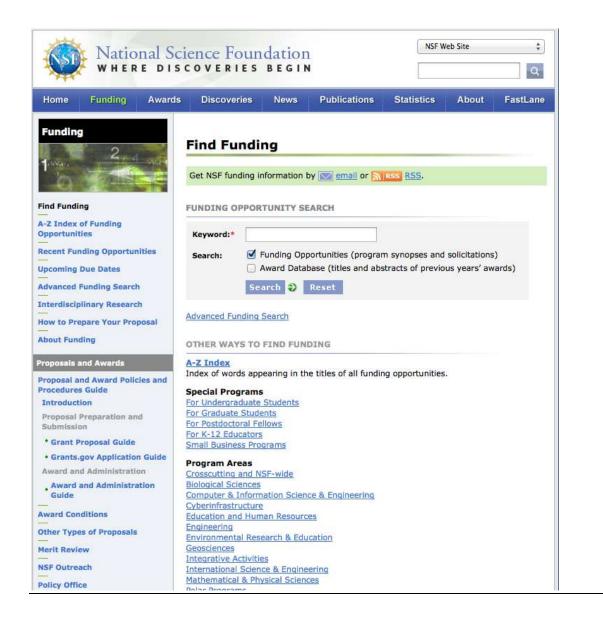
#### **National Science Foundation**

#### General Funding Overview

The National Science Foundation funds research and education in most <u>fields of science</u> <u>and engineering</u>. It does this through grants, and cooperative agreements to more than 2,000 colleges, universities, K-12 school systems, businesses, informal science organizations and other research organizations throughout the United States. The Foundation accounts for about one-fourth of federal support to academic institutions for basic research.

NSF receives approximately 40,000 proposals each year for research, education and training projects, of which approximately 11,000 are funded. In addition, the Foundation receives several thousand applications for graduate and postdoctoral fellowships. The agency operates no laboratories itself but does support National Research Centers, user facilities, certain oceanographic vessels and Antarctic research stations. The Foundation also supports cooperative research between universities and industry, US participation in international scientific and engineering efforts, and educational activities at every academic level.

For assistance in finding funding: <a href="http://nsf.gov/funding/">http://nsf.gov/funding/</a>



## **Research and Program Grants:**

NSF/DOE Partnership On Advanced Frontiers In Renewable Hydrogen Fuel Production Via Solar Water Splitting Technologies 2014-2016 Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247595

Atmospheric and Geospace Sciences Postdoctoral Research Fellowships Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247593">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247593</a>

#### Cognitive Neuroscience Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248253

CyberCorps(R): Scholarship for Service Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247594

**Exploiting Parallelism and Scalability Grant** 

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248394

Historically Black Colleges and Universities - Undergraduate Program Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247736">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247736</a>

Improving Undergraduate STEM Education Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247254

Innovative Technology Experiences for Students and Teachers Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247596">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247596</a>

Nanomanufacturing Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247776

Promoting Research and Innovation in Methodologies for Evaluation Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248311">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248311</a>

Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program Grant

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#### Modifications:

Advancing Digitization of Biodiversity Collections

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Algebra and Number Theory

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Algorithms for Threat Detection

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Analysis

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=56768

Biomedical Engineering

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# Biotechnology, Biochemical, and Biomass Engineering Modification 2

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#### Ceramics

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# Chemical and Biological Separations

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# Chemical Theory, Models and Computational Methods

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# Chemical Catalysis

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#### Chemistry of Life Processes

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#### Chemical Measurement and Imaging

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### Chemical Synthesis

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Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grants in the Directorate for Biological Sciences Modification 1

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EarthCube

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Education and Interdisciplinary Research

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Electronics, Photonics, and Magnetic Devices

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Energy, Power, and Adaptive Systems

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Engineering and Systems Design

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**Environmental Chemical Sciences** 

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Experimental Atomic Molecular and Optical Physics

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**Experimental Elementary Particle Physics** 

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# **Experimental Gravitational Physics**

Modification 1

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# **Experimental Nuclear Physics**

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# Expeditions in Training, Research, and Education for Mathematics and Statistics through Quantitative Explorations of Data

Modification 3

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# **Exploiting Parallelism and Scalability**

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#### **Foundations**

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# General & Age-Related Disabilities Engineering (GARDE)

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#### Geography and Spatial Sciences Program

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#### Geomechanics & Geomaterials

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=129774

#### Geometric Analysis

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=56761

#### Geospace Environment Modeling

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=50419

#### Interfacial Processes and Thermodynamics

Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=239804

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Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=231021

# Long Term Research in Environmental Biology

Modification 3

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# Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation

Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173497

# Macromolecular, Supramolecular and Nanochemistry

Modification 12

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=48466

# Manufacturing Machines and Equipment

Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=240543

## Materials Engineering and Processing

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=237383

#### **Mathematical Physics**

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=93893

#### Mechanics of Materials

Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=206053

#### Nano-Biosensing

Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=239800

#### Paleo Perspectives on Climate Change

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=237390

#### Particle Astrophysics

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=242314

#### Physics of Living Systems

Modification 6

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=93900

Probability

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=57121

Sociology

Modification 21

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=45810

**Statistics** 

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=50242

Sustainability Research Networks Competition

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=117395

Theoretical Gravitational Physics

Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243173

Theoretical Nuclear Physics

Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=170639

Theoretical Atomic, Molecular, and Optical Physics

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=101115

Thermal Transport Processes

Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=229517

Topology

Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=56762



#### **Small Business Administration**

#### General Overview Finding Loans & Grants

Federal, state and local governments offer a wide range of financing programs to help small businesses start and grow their operations. These programs include low-interest loans, venture capital, and scientific and economic development grants.

Use SBA.gov's <u>Loans and Grants Search Tool</u> to get a list of financing programs for which you may qualify, or visit the resources below to learn more about small business financing programs. To get to the main SBA.gov funding page <u>click here</u>





Starting or growing a business? Owning a small business can be a fulfilling endeavor, but as you probably already know or are just finding out – it requires that you wear many hats. This of course leaves you with little time to take a deep dive into the many aspects of starting and growing a business. Instead, many business owners turn to search engines for answers when questions come up.

But what if you had access to a small business classroom that provided informed, accurate and always-available access to the advice and guidance you need?

Welcome to the SBA Small Business Learning

#### Online Training and Tools for Small Business Owners

Launched in late 2012, the SBA Small Business Learning Center is an online portal that hosts a variety of self-paced online training courses, quick videos, web chats and more to help small business owners explore and learn about the many aspects of business ownership.



Content is filtered by topic, so no matter the stage of your business, or the kind of insight you need, you can quickly get answers.

For example, if you're wondering how SBA loan programs work or just need a primer in accounting or small business taxes, check out these self-paced online financing courses and short videos. Or explore tips from the pros in these archived SBA Web Chats.

Other topics covered include starting a business as a young entrepreneur, an introduction to franchising, taking your business global with exporting, marketing 101, selling to the U.S. government, and much more

#### Get More Help Offline

And if you can't find the training or advice that you need, use the "Get Local Assistance" interactive map to find one of many small business counseling, assistance and mentoring organizations in your community.

Browse around, and let us know what you think about the SBA Small Business Learning Center!

The Small Business Administration has a Newsletter that is available to Georgia residents online. To sign up for your own subscription go to: http://content.govdelivery.com/bulletins/gd/USSBA-6df447

For Specific Information in Georgia see the following links:

## Georgia - Small Business Resource Guide

#### SBA - Georgia Express Lenders List

The U.S. Small Business Administration is accepting nominations for its 2014 Small Business Week Awards, including the Georgia Small Business Person(s) and Exporter of the Year awards.

Nominations must be made online at <a href="http://nationalsmallbusinessweek.sba.gov/">http://nationalsmallbusinessweek.sba.gov/</a>, where guidelines and additional information can also be found. Nominations must be submitted to the SBA no later than **Friday, Jan. 17, 2014**.

Guidelines for nominating Georgia Small Business Champions will be released early

# January 2014 and nominations will be accepted through March 1st.

Nominations may be submitted by any individual or organization dedicated to the support of the small business community in the United States. Individuals may self-nominate for these awards. Individuals may not be nominated for more than one SBW 2014 award category.

For over 50 years the SBA has honored the nation's small businesses during Small Business Week. Winners for the Georgia Small Business Person and Exporter of the year will compete for the National awards, which will be presented in Washington, D.C., May 12-16 2014.

For more information, please contact Mark D. Gibson, SBA Georgia District Public Affairs, mark.gibson@sba.gov.



# **State Department**

# General Overview and Resources for Program Administrators

Advice on Funding Opportunities:

- The Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs Grant Process (PDF)
- Proposal Solicitation Eligibility and Process (PDF)
- Making Your Grant Proposal Competitive (PDF)
- Grantee Recipients Alumni Outreach, Tracking and Engagement (PDF)

#### General Information:

- Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs Grants Division
- Open Grant Opportunities (Requests for Grant Proposals)

For General Information below click here



#### **Program Grants:**

Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs
Study of the U.S. Institutes for Student Leaders Grant
http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247742

Bureau Of Educational and Cultural Affairs
FY 2014 Study of the U.S. Institutes for Scholars and Secondary Educators Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247113

Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor Democracy, Human Rights, and Rule of Law in Europe and Eurasia (Azerbaijan, Moldova and Turkey) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247293

Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor The Global Equality Fund: Programs to Protect the Human Rights of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT) Persons Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248713

Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation Global Biosecurity Engagement Activities Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247333 Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation Global Chemical Security Engagement Activities Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247353

Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferat Global Nuclear Security Engagement Activities Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247354

Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration FY 2014 Funding Opportunity Announcement for NGO programs benefiting refugees in Rwanda and Tanzania Grant <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247693">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247693</a>

U.S. Mission to India
U.S. Consulate Chennai Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program
http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248775

#### **Modifications**:

Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights and Labor DRL Internet Freedom Annual Program Statement for Internet Freedom Technology Modification 1

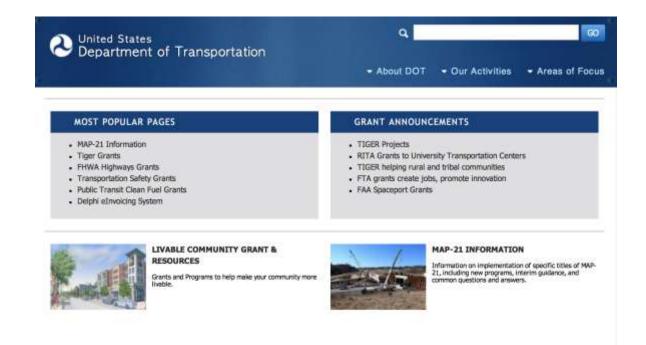
http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=229195

Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration FY 2014 Funding Opportunity Announcement for NGO programs benefiting refugees from Syria in Jordan, Lebanon, and Iraq Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248413



**Department of Transportation** 



# General Grant Program Overview

http://www.dot.gov/grants

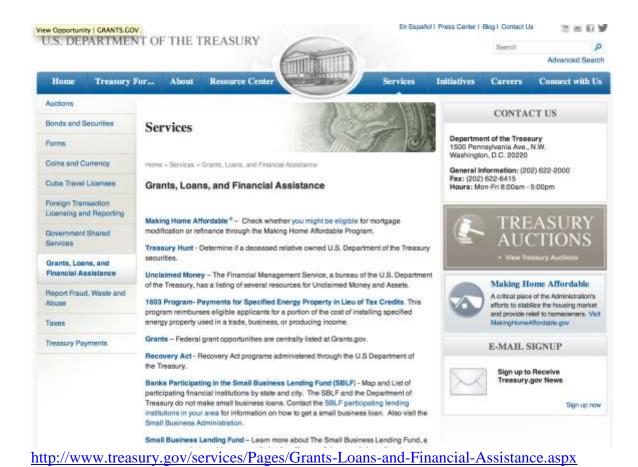
### **Modifications:**

DOT/Federal Railroad Administration FY10 Railroad Safety Technology Grants (Second Round) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246973

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

# **Department of the Treasury**





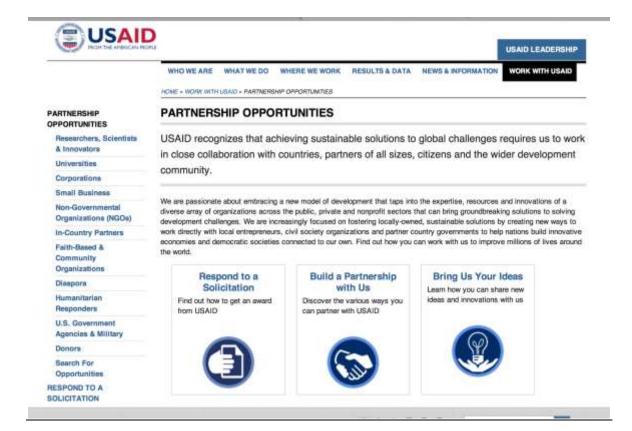
### U.S. Agency for International Development



#### www.usaid.gov

# **General Overview Funding Opportunities**

USAID has working relationships with thousands of American companies and hundreds of U.S.-based private voluntary organizations. For more information on our business and procurement opportunities, please visit our <u>Business</u> section.



http://www.usaid.gov/partnerships

# REQUEST FOR INFORMATION - Middle East North Africa Investment Initiative (MENA II) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248300

#### **Modifications**

Ethiopia USAID-Addis Ababa The Innovation Fund for Ethiopia Agriculture (IFEA) Modification 1

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=247713

Ghana USAID-Accra Innovate for Health Modification 2

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=236207

FY2013 Global Development Alliance (GDA) Annual Program Statement (APS) Modification 4



# **Department of Veterans Affairs**

# Grants for Transportation of Veterans in Highly Rural Areas Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:** VA-HRTG-2-2014

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Grants for Transportation of Veterans in Highly

Rural Areas

Discretionary **Opportunity Category:** 

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

**Category of Funding Activity:** Transportation

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 40

CFDA Number(s): 64.035 -- Veterans Transportation Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Dec 3, 2013 Nov 28, 2013 **Creation Date:** Feb 3, 2014 **Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 3, 2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** 

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$3,000,000 \$50,000 **Award Ceiling:** 

**Eligible Applicants:** Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) See information contained in the full grant

Additional Information on Eligibility: announcement for definition of eligible applicants.

Veteran Service Organizations and State Veteran Service Agencies Recognized by the Secretary for Veterans Affairs. Non eligible entities cannot apply directly, they have to partner with an

eligible entity and be a subreceipient.

**Agency Name: Description:** 

Chief Business Office

The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Veterans Transportation Program (VTP) is pleased to announce that it is seeking applicants for Grants for Transportation of Veterans in Highly Rural Areas. This program furthers the Department's mission by establishing a program to provide grants to eligible recipients to assist veterans in highly rural areas through innovative transportation services to travel to Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Centers (VA Medical Centers), and to otherwise assist in providing transportation services in connection with the provision of VA medical care to these veterans.

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

Recorded Informational Webinar
If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Darren Wallace National Coordinator Highly Rural Transportation Grants Phone 4048285380 POC

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248305

#### **REMINDERS!**

# The Small Business Innovative Research Program - SBIR Program

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program is a highly competitive program that encourages domestic small businesses to engage in Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D) that has the potential for commercialization. Through a competitive awards-based program, SBIR enables small businesses to explore their technological potential and provides the incentive to profit from its commercialization. By including qualified small businesses in the nation's R&D arena, high-tech innovation is stimulated and the United States gains entrepreneurial spirit as it meets its specific research and development needs.

## **SBIR Mission and Program Goals**

The mission of the SBIR program is to support scientific excellence and technological innovation through the investment of Federal research funds in critical American priorities to build a strong national economy.

The program's goals are four-fold:

- Stimulate technological innovation
- Meet Federal research and development needs.
- Foster and encourage participation in innovation and entrepreneurship by socially and economically disadvantaged persons.
- Increase private-sector commercialization of innovations derived from Federal research and development funding.

# **SBIR-Participating Agencies**

Each year, Federal agencies with extramural research and development (R&D) budgets that exceed \$100 million are required to allocate 2.5 percent of their R&D budget to these programs. Currently, eleven Federal agencies participate in the program:

- Department of Agriculture
- Department of Commerce National Institute of Standards and Technology
- Department of Commerce National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- Department of Defense
- Department of Education
- Department of Energy
- Department of Health and Human Services
- Department of Homeland Security
- Department of Transportation
- Environmental Protection Agency
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- National Science Foundation

Each agency administers its own individual program within guidelines established by Congress. These agencies designate R&D topics in their solicitations and accept proposals from small businesses. Awards are made on a competitive basis after proposal evaluation.

# **Three-Phase Program**

The SBIR Program is structured in three phases:

*Phase I.* The objective of Phase I is to establish the technical merit, feasibility, and commercial potential of the proposed R/R&D efforts and to determine the quality of performance of the small business awardee organization prior to providing further Federal

support in Phase II. SBIR Phase I awards normally do not exceed \$150,000 total costs for 6 months.

*Phase II.* The objective of Phase II is to continue the R/R&D efforts initiated in Phase I. Funding is based on the results achieved in Phase I and the scientific and technical merit and commercial potential of the project proposed in Phase II. Only Phase I awardees are eligible for a Phase II award. SBIR Phase II awards normally do not exceed \$1,000,000 total costs for 2 years.

Phase III. The objective of Phase III, where appropriate, is for the small business to pursue commercialization objectives resulting from the Phase I/II R/R&D activities. The SBIR program does not fund Phase III. Some Federal agencies, Phase III may involve follow-on non-SBIR funded R&D or production contracts for products, processes or services intended for use by the U.S. Government

#### **Agriculture**

**Utilities Programs** 

Solid Waste Management Grant Program

**Document Type:**Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:
SWM-FY14

Funding Opportunity Title: Solid Waste Management Grant Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

Environment

Category Explanation: The Solid Waste Management (SWM) Grant

Program has been established to assist communities through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified organizations will receive SWM grant funds to reduce or eliminate pollution of water resources in rural areas, and improve planning and management

of solid waste sites in rural areas.

**Expected Number of Awards:** 30

**CFDA Number(s):** 10.762 -- Solid Waste Management Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Nov 5, 2013 **Creation Date:** Nov 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 31, 2014 The application period has been

modified. The application period has been extended to January 31, 2014 for FY14 only. Any applications received after October 1, 2013 will be accepted. The

purpose of the modification is to give SWM applicants additional time to compensate for the

federal government shutdown.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 31, 2014 The application period has been

modified. The application period has been extended to January 31, 2014 for FY14 only. Any applications received after October 1, 2013 will be accepted. The purpose of the modification is to give SWM

applicants additional time to compensate for the

federal government shutdown.

Archive Date: Mar 2, 2014 Estimated Total Program Funding: \$3,400,000

Award Ceiling: \$0
Award Floor: \$0

**Eligible Applicants:** 

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Additional Information on Eligibility: An organization is eligible to receive a SWM grant if it: a. Is a private, non-profit organization that has tax-exempt status from the United States Internal Revenue Service (IRS); b. Is a Public body; c. Is a federally acknowledged or State-recognized Native American tribe or group; d. Is an Academic institution; e. Is legally established and located within one of the following: a state within the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, a United States territory f. Has the legal capacity and authority to carry out the grant purpose; Has a proven record of successfully providing technical assistance and/or training Has capitalization acceptable to the Agency, and is composed of at to rural areas: h. least 51 percent of the outstanding interest or membership being citizens of the United States or individuals who reside in the United States after being legally admitted for permanent residence; i. Has no delinquent debt to the Federal Government or no outstanding judgments to repay a Federal debt; j. Demonstrates that it possesses the financial, technical, and managerial capability to comply with Federal and State laws and requirements. k. Contracts with a nonaffiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide the proposed assistance.

**Agency Name:** Utilities Programs

**Description:** Funds may be used to: Evaluate current landfill conditions to determine threats to water resources in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to enhance operator skills in the maintenance and operation of active landfills in rural areas; provide technical assistance and/or training to help associations reduce the solid waste stream; and provide technical assistance and/or training for operators of landfills in rural areas which are closed or will be closed in the near future with the development/implementation of closure plans, future land use plans, safety and maintenance planning, and closure scheduling within permit requirements. Grant funds may not be used to: Recruit preapplications/applications for any loan and/or grant program including RUS Water and Waste Disposal Loan and/or Grant Program; duplication of current services, replacement or substitution of support previously provided such as those performed by an association's consultant in developing a project; fund political activities; pay for capital assets, the purchase of real estate or vehicles, improve and renovate office

space, or repair and maintain privately-owned property; pay for construction or operation and maintenance costs of water and waste facilities; and pay costs incurred prior to the effective date of grants made under this subpart.

Link to Additional Information: Government Website Address for SWM Program Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

LaVonda Pernell Community Program Specialist Phone 202-720-9635 Government Email Address

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246613

**Utilities Programs** 

**Category Explanation:** 

Technical Assistance and Training Grant

**Document Type:**Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:
TAT-FY14

Funding Opportunity Title: Technical Assistance and Training Grant

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other

Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
The Technical Assistance and Training (TAT) Grant

Program has been established to assist communities with water or wastewater systems through free technical assistance and/or training provided by the

technical assistance and/or training provided by the grant recipients. Qualified private non-profit organizations will receive TAT grant funds to identify and evaluate solutions to water and waste disposal problems in rural areas, assist applicants in preparing applications for water and waste grants made at the State level offices, and improve operation and maintenance of existing water and

waste disposal facilities in rural areas.

**Expected Number of Awards:** 17

**CFDA Number(s):** 10.761 -- Technical Assistance and Training Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Nov 4, 2013 Creation Date: Nov 4, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 31, 2014 All applications may be filed on or

after November 1, 2013 and must be received by close of business or postmarked by midnight January 31, 2014. Any applications received on or after October 1 will also be accepted. The modification is

for Fiscal Year 2014 only. The extension in the application filing period will offset lost time to

# **Current Closing Date for Applications:**

Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding: Eligible Applicants:

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

potential TAT applicants due to the Federal Government shutdown.

Jan 31, 2014 All applications may be filed on or after November 1, 2013 and must be received by close of business or postmarked by midnight January 31, 2014. Any applications received on or after October 1 will also be accepted. The modification is for Fiscal Year 2014 only. The extension in the application filing period will offset lost time to potential TAT applicants due to the Federal Government shutdown.

Mar 2, 2014 \$17,000,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Eligibility criteria for TAT grants is as follows: (a) Entities eligible for grants must be private nonprofit organizations with tax exempt status, designated by the Internal Revenue Service. A nonprofit organization is defined as any corporation, trust, association, cooperative, or other organization that: (1) Is operated primarily for scientific, education, service, charitable, or similar purposes in the public interest. (2) Is not organized primarily for profit. (3) Uses its net proceeds to maintain, improve, and/or expand its operations. (b) Entities must be legally established and located within a state as defined in  $\ddot{i}_{1}$  1775.2. (c) Organizations must be incorporated by December 31 of the year the application period occurs to be eligible for funds. (d) Private businesses, Federal agencies, public bodies, and individuals are ineligible for these grants. (e) Applicants must also have the proven ability, background, experience (as evidenced by the organization; ½s satisfactory completion of project(s)similar to those proposed), legal authority, and actual capacity to provide technical assistance and/or training on a regional basis to associations as provided in  $i_{i_1}$  1775.33. To meet the requirement of actual capacity, an applicant must either: (1) Have the necessary resources to provide technical assistance and/or training to associations in rural areas through its staff, or (2) Be assisted by an affiliate or member organization which has such background and experience and which agrees, in writing, that it will provide the assistance, or (3)

Contract with a nonaffiliated organization for not more than 49 percent of the grant to provide the

proposed assistance. Utilities Programs

Funds may be used to pay expenses associated with providing technical assistance and/or training (TAT) to identify and evaluate solutions to water problems

relating to source, storage, treatment, and

distribution, and to waste disposal problems relating

to collection, treatment, and disposal; assist

applicants that have filed a preapplication with RUS in the preparation of water and/or waste disposal loan and/or grant applications; and to provide training that will improve the management, operation and maintenance of water and waste disposal facilities. Grant funds may not be used to recruit applications, duplicate current services such as those performed by a consultant in developing a project, fund political activities, pay for capital assets, purchase real estate or vehicles, improve and renovate office space or repair and maintain

privately owned property, pay construction or O&M costs, and pay costs incurred prior to the effective

date of grants made.

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

USDA Rural Development Website

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Anita OBrien Loan Specialist Phone 202-690-3789

Government Address

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246494

National Institute of Food and Agriculture AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004368

**Funding Opportunity Title:** AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture

Education Environment Natural Resources

**Category Explanation:** 

**Agency Name:** 

**Description:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative

(AFRI)

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Oct 29, 2013 **Posted Date: Creation Date:** Oct 29, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 20, 2014 A Letter of Intent is required and is a

> prerequisite for submission of an application. The Letter of Intent must be submitted by December 12.

2013.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Feb 20, 2014 A Letter of Intent is required and is a

prerequisite for submission of an application. The Letter of Intent must be submitted by December 12,

2013.

Mar 22, 2014 **Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$6,000,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional **Eligible Applicants:** 

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

**Individuals** 

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Private institutions of higher education

Small businesses

For profit organizations other than small businesses Native American tribal organizations (other than

Federally recognized tribal governments)

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,

other than institutions of higher education

It is highly encouraged that applications be **Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

submitted through the mentor's institution with the mentor institution listed as the applicant (see Part IV, B.1.). Eligible mentor institutions include: (1) State Agricultural Experiment Stations; (2) colleges and universities (including junior colleges offering associate degrees or higher); (3) university research foundations; (4) other research institutions and organizations; (5) Federal agencies, (6) national

laboratories; (7) private organizations or

corporations; (8) any group consisting of two or more entities identified in (1) through (7). Eligible institutions do not include foreign and international

organizations.

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

**Agency Name:** The FY 2014 AFRI NIFA Fellowship RFA focuses **Description:** 

on developing the next generation of research, education, and extension professionals in the food and agricultural sciences who will lead agriculture into the future by solving current and future challenges facing our society. The AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program targets talented, highlymotivated doctoral candidates and post-doctoral trainees that demonstrate remarkable promise and the potential to become gifted education, extension, and research professionals in the United States. The NIFA Fellows are individuals who have the potential for remarkable accomplishments in agricultural science. The Program seeks to develop the technical and academic competence of doctoral candidates and the research independence and teaching competencies of postdoctoral students in the food, forestry and agricultural sciences, which are within NIFA's AFRI Challenge Areas, through welldeveloped and highly interactive mentoring and training activities. Project types supported by AFRI within this RFA include single-function Research, Education, and Extension Projects and multifunction Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects.

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

AFRI NIFA Fellowships Grant Program
If you have difficulty accessing the full
announcement electronically, please contact:

NIFA Help Desk Phone: 202-401-5048 Business hours are M-F, 7:00 am -5:00 pm ET, excluding

Federal holidays

If you have any questions related to preparing

application content

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245873

Forest Service

Community Forest and Open Space Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: CFP-FS-1002014

Funding Opportunity Title: Community Forest and Open Space

Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled

**Category Explanation:** 

"Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Provides financial assistances to Tribes, local governments, and non-profit organizations (whose mission is to conserve and protect land) to establish community forest through fee simple acquisition of private forestland from a willing seller.

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 

10.689 -- Community Forest and Open Space Conservation Program (CFP)

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date: Creation Date: Sep 5, 2013 Sep 5, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** 

Jan 15, 2014 Applications must be submitted to the State Foresters in which the property will be acquired or Tribal official, in the case of Tribal applicants, by January 15, 2014. State Foresters and Tribal officials must forward applications to the Forest Service by February 17, 2014. Jan 15, 2014 Applications must be

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** 

Jan 15, 2014 Applications must be submitted to the State Foresters in which the property will be acquired or Tribal official, in the case of Tribal applicants, by January 15, 2014. State Foresters and Tribal officials must forward applications to the Forest Service by February 17, 2014.

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling: \$4,000,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible entities are local governments, federally recognized tribes and Alaskan Native Corporations, and non-profits who are eligible to hold title to land for

conservation purposes.

**Agency Name:** Forest Service

**Description:** Based on the President's request, anticipated funding

for this program is \$4 million. Individual grant applications

may not exceed \$400,000, which does not include

technical assistance. Federal obligation under this program is contingent upon the availability of final appropriations.

Link to Additional

Information:

Community Forest Program website

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Maya Solomon Program Coordinator Phone 202-205-1376

**Program Contact** 

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=241953

### **Department of Commerce**

# Ocean Exploration 2014 Funding Opportunity Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: NOAA-OAR-OER-2014-2003874

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Ocean Exploration 2014 Funding Opportunity

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 11.011 -- Ocean Exploration

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Sep 19, 2013 **Creation Date:** Sep 19, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 20, 2013 Complete, maximum two-page, pre-

proposals are required for all categories and must be received by 5:00 pm (EDT) on October 15, 2013. Full proposal submissions must be received by 5:00 pm (EST) on December 20, 2013. Applications received after the above deadlines will not be

considered.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 20, 2013 Complete, maximum two-page, pre-

proposals are required for all categories and must be received by 5:00 pm (EDT) on October 15, 2013. Full proposal submissions must be received by 5:00 pm (EST) on December 20, 2013. Applications

received after the above deadlines will not be

considered. Jan 19, 2014 \$3,000,000 \$2,500,000 \$10,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Eligible applicants include institutions of higher

education; other nonprofits; commercial

organizations; foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; international organizations; state, local and Indian tribal Governments; and Federal agencies. PLEASE NOTE: Before non-NOAA Federal applicants may be funded, they must demonstrate that they have legal authority to receive funds from another Federal agency in excess of their appropriation. Because this announcement is not proposing to procure goods or services from applicants, the Economy Act (31 USC 1535) is not an appropriate legal basis.

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Department of Commerce

Summary: OER is seeking pre-proposals and, ultimately, full proposals to support its mission, consistent with NOAA's Next Generation Strategic Plan (http://www.ppi.noaa.gov/wpacontent/uploads/noaa), to search, investigate, and document poorly-known and unknown ocean areas through interdisciplinary exploration, and to advance and disseminate knowledge of the ocean environment and its physical, chemical, archaeological, and biological resources. The office priorities for this opportunity support NOAA's mission goals of: Healthy Oceans, Climate Adaptation and Mitigation, and Resilient Coastal Communities and Economies, as well as many of the elements of the President's National Ocean Policy. Competitive ocean exploration proposals will be bold, innovative and interdisciplinary in their approach. NOAA OER anticipates a total of approximately \$3,000,000 including costs for ship and submersible assets will be available through this announcement. Only exploration proposals will be considered for funding, any other type of proposed

project will not be reviewed. See Section I.B. for thematic priorities. To familiarize themselves with

**Archive Date:** 

Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

**Eligible Applicants:** 

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

Agency Name: Description:

past and present OER-funded activities, applicants are encouraged to visit the Ocean Explorer Website http://oceanexplorer.noaa.gov. Background on how to apply and the required proposal coversheets are accessible through the OER Office Website at http://explore.noaa.gov. Pre-proposal submissions by non-Federal or Federal applicants are to be emailed to oer.ffo2014@noaa.gov. Please put your last name in the subject heading along with the words OER Pre-proposal, e.g., "Jones OER Preproposal." Adobe PDF format is preferred. If an eligible applicant can prove he/she does not have internet access, contact the Agency Contact listed in section VII for submission instructions. Full proposal submissions from non-Federal applicants must be submitted through Grants.gov. If an eligible applicant can prove he/she does not have internet access, contact the Agency Contact listed in section VII for submission instructions. No e-mail or facsimile full proposal submissions will be accepted from non-Federal applicants. Full proposal submissions from Federal applicants are to be submitted by e-mail to oer.ffo2014@noaa.gov. No facsimile full proposal submissions will be accepted from Federal applicants. For questions send messages to oer.ffo2014@noaa.gov. Questions and responses will be posted at http://explore.noaa.gov.

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

NOAA Office of Ocean Exploration and Research at: 301-734-1014

Office Email

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243154

Economic Development Administration
Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: EDAPLANNING2012

Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: Aug 03, 2012

Creation Date: Aug 03, 2012

Original Closing Date for Applications: Applications are accepted on a continuing

basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Applications are accepted on a continuing

basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.

Archive Date:

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation

of Other Category of Funding Activity"

for clarification)

Regional Development

Category Explanation: Regional planning and local technical

assistance

Expected Number of Awards: 425

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling: \$100,000

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 11.302 -- Economic Development

Support for Planning Organizations

11.303 -- Economic Development

Technical Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

### **Eligible Applicants**

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

## **Agency Name**

**Economic Development Administration** 

#### **Description**

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

#### **Link to Additional Information**

## If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

David Ives Planning and Local TA email

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=189193

Economic Development Administration FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number: EDAP2013
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: Nov 26, 2012
Creation Date: Nov 27, 2012

Original Closing Date for Applications: The deadlines for the remaining funding

cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will

not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are:
December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of

FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

Archive Date: Mar 31, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation

of Other Category of Funding Activity"

for clarification)

Regional Development

Category Explanation: The Economic Development

Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving

economic conditions.

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 11.300 -- Investments for Public Works

and Economic Development Facilities

11.307 -- Economic Adjustment

Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

# **Eligible Applicants**

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a (n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to forprofit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

# **Agency Name**

# **Economic Development Administration**

# **Description**

EDA provides strategic investments that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Under this FFO, EDA solicits applications from both rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs. Grants made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets to support the implementation of economic development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

#### **Link to Additional Information**

EDA's website

#### If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Kerstin Millius Senior Program Analyst Kerstin Millius

# **Synopsis Modification History**

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

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### **Corporation for National and Community Service**

AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competitions Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: CNCS-GRANTS-09062013

Funding Opportunity Title: AmeriCorps State and National Grant

Opportunity Category: Funding Instrument Type: Category of Funding Activity: Competitions Discretionary

Grant

Agriculture

Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Community Development Consumer Protection

Disaster Prevention and Relief

Education

Employment, Labor and Training

Environment Food and Nutrition

Health Housing

Law, Justice and Legal Services

Natural Resources

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for

The mission of the Corporation for National

clarification)

Regional Development

and Community Service (CNCS) is to improve lives, strengthen communities, and foster civic participation through service and volunteering. CNCS through its AmeriCorps and Senior Corps programs has helped to engage millions of citizens in meeting community and national challenges through service and volunteer action. This AmeriCorps State and National (AmeriCorps) Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity Notice (Notice) will focus grant making for fiscal year 2014 in six focus areas: Disaster Services. Economic Opportunity. Education. Environmental Stewardship. Healthy Futures. Veterans and Military Families. Indian Tribes are eligible to apply to this Notice; however a separate Notice of Federal Funding Opportunity for Indian Tribes for either fully operational or planning grants will be released later in the fall with an application deadline of spring 2014. In order to maximize the impact of the public investment in national service, CNCS will provide grants to programs that

demonstrate that they will engage

**Category Explanation:** 

AmeriCorps members in an evidence-based or evidence-informed approach to providing a service intervention that will result in intended solutions to community problems (e.g., based on proposed program's performance and evaluation data or research demonstrating the effectiveness of a similar intervention). Applicants will be awarded points for providing evidence that their proposed intervention will lead to the outcomes identified in the theory of change (logic model). Applicants shall provide evidence that the proposed intervention is effective for the proposed population and community challenge. In order to maximize the impact of the public investment in national service, CNCS will provide grants to programs that demonstrate that they will engage AmeriCorps members in an evidence-based or evidence-informed approach to providing a service intervention that will result in intended solutions to community problems (e.g., based on proposed program's performance and evaluation data or research demonstrating the effectiveness of a similar intervention). Applicants will be awarded points for providing evidence that their proposed intervention will lead to the outcomes identified in the theory of change (logic model). Applicants shall provide evidence that the proposed intervention is effective for the proposed population and community challenge. CNCS believes that all America

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 94.006 -- AmeriCorps

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

**Posted Date:** Sep 6, 2013 **Creation Date:** Sep 6, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 8, 2014 The deadline for eGrants

submissions is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on

January 08, 2014.

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 8, 2014 The deadline for eGrants

submissions is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on

January 08, 2014.

Archive Date: Jan 9, 2014

**Eligible Applicants:** Private institutions of higher education

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

County governments State governments

Independent school districts

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than

institutions of higher education Special district governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions

of higher education

Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally

recognized tribal governments)

# **Additional Information on Eligibility**

Public or private nonprofit organizations, including faith-based and other community organizations; institutions of higher education; government entities within states or territories (e.g., cities, counties); labor organizations; partnerships and consortia; Tribes; and intermediaries planning to subgrant awarded funds are encouraged to apply. Receiving funding previously from CNCS or another Federal agency is not a prerequisite to applying under this Notice. Organizations that have been convicted of a Federal crime are disqualified from receiving the assistance described in this Notice. Pursuant to the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, an organization described in Section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue code of 1986, 26 U.S.C. § 501 (c)(4), that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to apply. New Applicants CNCS encourages organizations that have never received funding from CNCS or AmeriCorps to apply for the grants described in this Notice. New organizations should submit applications with the understanding that the general practice is to award no more than 50 member slots for new Grantees. New applicants are not eligible to receive fixed amount grants. Applicants that must apply through State Commissions Organizations that are proposing a project that operates in only one state must apply to this competition through the Governor-appointed State or Territory Commissions. Each state and territory administers its own selection process and puts forward to CNCS the applicants they select to compete for funding. Organizations should contact their State Commissions to learn about their state or territory processes and deadlines. The list of State and Territory Commissions can be found here: http://www.nationalservice.gov/about/contact-us/state-service-commissions. Applicants that may apply directly to CNCS Applicants in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, American Samoa, and the U.S. Virgin Islands apply directly to CNCS because these Territories have not established a state commission. Applicants are eligible to apply for funds for member support and program costs. Government entities of the Territory are not eligible to apply. CNCS will fund successful applicants with funding allocated to the Territories as part of the formula funding process. Organizations that propose to operate AmeriCorps programs in more than one state or territory apply directly

A. Purpose of AmeriCorps funding AmeriCorps grants are awarded to eligible organizations proposing to engage AmeriCorps members in evidence-based or evidenceinformed (e.g., based on proposed program's data or a similar program's data) interventions to strengthen communities. An AmeriCorps member is an individual who engages in community service through an approved national service position. Members may receive a living allowance and other benefits while serving. Upon successful completion of their service, members receive a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award from the National Service Trust. For two decades, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) has invested in community solutions across the nation -- working hand in hand with local partners to improve lives, expand economic opportunity, and engage millions of Americans in solving problems in their communities. With its unique structure as a public-private partnership and its model of engaging citizens and requiring matching resources from outside parties, national service can benefit the recipients of service, those who serve, local communities, and our nation. Through all its programs, CNCS seeks to expand economic opportunity – helping Americans acquire the skills, education, and training they need for productive employment. By helping more Americans graduate, pursue higher education, and find work, national service can provide immediate and long term benefits by expanding individual opportunity, building family stability, and creating more sustainable, resilient communities. Through AmeriCorps and its other programs, CNCS brings vital leadership, resources, and coordination to some of the most pressing challenges facing America: educating students for jobs of the 21st century; assisting individuals, families, and neighborhoods on the road to economic recovery; addressing the needs of military families and a new generation of veterans; helping communities rebuild after natural disasters; increasing energy efficiency and improving at-risk ecosystems; and providing information to improve the health and welfare of individuals in disadvantaged communities. B. Focus Areas In order to carry out Congress' intent and to maximize the impact of investment in national service, CNCS is targeting AmeriCorps funds to the following focus areas: Disaster Services Grant activities will increase the preparedness of individuals, improve individuals' readiness to respond, help individuals recover from disasters, and help individuals mitigate disasters. Grantees also have the ability to respond to national disasters under CNCS cooperative agreements and FEMA mission assignments. Economic Opportunity Grants will provide support and/or facilitate access to services and resources that contribute to the improved economic well-being and security of economically disadvantaged people. Grant activities will help economically disadvantaged people to have improved access to services aimed at contributing to their enhanced financial literacy; transition into or remain in safe, healthy, affordable housing; and have improved employability leading to increased success in becoming employed. Education Grants will provide support and/or facilitate access to services and resources that contribute to improved educational outcomes for economically disadvantaged individuals, especially children. CNCS is particularly interested in program designs that support youth engagement and service-learning as strategies to achieve improved academic outcomes. Grant activities will improve school readiness for economically disadvantaged young children; educational and behavioral outcomes of students in lowachieving elementary, middle, and high schools; and the preparation for, and prospects of

success, in post-secondary educational institutions for economically disadvantaged students. Environmental Stewardship Grants will provide support for direct services that contribute to increased energy and water efficiency, renewable energy use, or improving at-risk ecosystems. In addition, grants will support increased individual behavioral change leading to increased efficiency, renewable energy use, and ecosystem improvements particularly for economically disadvantaged households and communities. Grant activities will decrease energy and water consumption; improve at-risk ecosystems; increase behavioral changes that lead directly to decreased energy and water consumption or improved at-risk ecosystems; and increase green training opportunities that may lead to decreased energy and water consumption or improved at-risk ecosystems. In addition, the Administration is exploring ways to provide service, training, education, and employment opportunities for young Americans through protecting, restoring and enhancing public and tribal lands. CNCS is exploring potential programs along the lines of a "21st century Civilian Service Corps" that can facilitate conservation service work on public lands and encourage a new generation of natural resource managers and environmental scientists, particularly in low income and disadvantaged communities. Healthy Futures Grants will provide support for health needs within communities including access to care, aging in place, and childhood obesity. Grant activities will improve access to primary and preventive health care for communities served by CNCS-supported programs; increase seniors' ability to remain in their own homes with the same or improved quality of life for as long as possible; and increase physical activity and improve nutrition in youth with the purpose of reducing childhood obesity. Veterans and Military Families Grants will positively impact the quality of life of veterans and improve military family strength. Grant activities will increase the number of veterans and military service members and their families served by CNCS-supported programs and increase the number of veterans and military family members engaged in service through CNCS-supported programs. To the greatest extent possible, proposed activities should be aligned with the Veteran and Military Family National Performance Measures. Governor and Mayor Initiative CNCS will be continuing its pilot of the Governor and Mayor Initiative, which will be given priority consideration in Tier 1. CNCS will accept one application per state. The application must address a pressing challenge the Governor wishes to solve in her or his state. A Governor must apply with one Mayor in his or her state and a minimum of two nonprofits. In conjunction with the Mayor, the Governor will be responsible for identifying and selecting those nonprofits that are best able to achieve a demonstrated positive impact on the problem. The application should include letters of commitment from all relevant parties. If the Governor and Mayor have not yet selected partnering nonprofit entities, they should describe the process that the Governor and Mayor will use to select the nonprofit entities. The application, submitted to the State Commission, will respond to the application criteria and explain how several nonprofits working together, with the Governor's office serving as a convener, will effectively deploy AmeriCorps members for a collective impact. Only the Governor, Mayor, their designated government office (but not the state commission), or a public university may apply for grants under the Governor and Mayor initiative. Applications from other entities will be deemed noncompliant and will not be considered under this initiative. For example, a Governor and a Mayor in a state could conclude the most pressing challenge facing the state is its high school graduation rate. The Governor and/or Mayor would submit one application

describing: How the partnership will be organized and AmeriCorps resources will be allocated between the partnering entities (State, locality, and nonprofit entities). The proposed theory of change and program model. How they will utilize an identified consortium of nonprofits that are well positioned to achieve outcomes identified in the theory of change. C. Additional Program Models Capacity Building Grants also will provide support for capacity building activities provided by national service participants. As a general rule, CNCS considers capacity building activities to be indirect services that enable CNCS-supported organizations to provide more, better, and sustained direct services in CNCS' six focus areas. Capacity building activities cannot be solely intended to support the administration or operations of the organization. Examples of capacity building activities include recruiting and/or managing community volunteers; implementing effective volunteer management practices; completing community assessments that identify goals and recommendations; developing new systems and business processes (technology, performance management, training, etc.); or enhancing existing systems and business processes. Encore Programs Congress set a goal that 10 percent of AmeriCorps funding should support encore service programs that engage a significant number of participants age 55 or older. CNCS seeks to meet that 10 percent target in this competition and encourages encore programs to apply. Professional Corps Professional Corps programs recruit and place qualified members in positions as teachers, health care providers, police officers, engineers, or other professionals in communities with an inadequate number of such professionals. Applicants are eligible to apply for funding for a portion of the program costs. Professional Corps members' salaries are paid entirely by the organizations with which the members serve, and are not included in the budget. In order to be considered for funding, applicants must demonstrate that there are an inadequate number of professionals in the community(ies) where the corps seeks to place members. These grants can either be fixed amount or cost reimbursement grants. D. National Performance Measures The SAA emphasizes measuring the impact of service and focusing on a core set of issue areas. CNCS' five-year Strategic Plan establishes an ambitious set of objectives that support the mission and goals to implement the Serve America Act. These strategic goals guided the development of 16 agency-wide Priority Performance Measures. National Performance Measures allow CNCS to demonstrate aggregated impact of all its national service programs, including AmeriCorps State and National. They are divided in two categories: Priority Measures and Complementary Program Measures. For more information, please refer to the National Performance Measure Instructions. E. 2014 AmeriCorps Funding Priorities In the FY 2014 AmeriCorps competition, CNCS seeks to prioritize the investment of national service resources in economic opportunity, education, veterans and military families, disaster services, and the Governor and Mayor Initiative. CNCS will continue to focus on national service programs that improve academic outcomes for children, youth, and young adults. This focus reflects the extensive experience and past success of national service programs in education, and aligns with the efforts of the Department of Education. In addition, CNCS seeks to increase its investment in programs that serve veterans and military families or engage veterans and military families in service. CNCS will also focus investment in programs that increase community resiliency through disaster preparation, response, recovery, and mitigation. CNCS will focus investment in programs that increase economic opportunities for communities and AmeriCorps members. Finally, CNCS will focus on summer

programming for K-12 students, especially those programs that address the academic "summer slide." Proposed activities will engage youth and young adults as summer members to help support summer reading, math, science, and environmental learning activities for youth in rural and urban areas most likely at risk of summer learning loss. CNCS will seek to build a diversified portfolio across the focus areas, and other considerations are outlined below in Section V. B. Applicants proposing programs that receive priority consideration are not guaranteed funding. Furthermore, programs must demonstrate significant program focus, design, and outcomes to receive priority consideration. CNCS will give priority consideration to applicants in the following Tiers, in descending order of preference: Tier 1: Programs that select: Complementary Program Measures in Economic Opportunity (Programs that select O12, O14, O15, O17 must also select an additional Priority or Complementary Program Measure from Tier 1, 2, or 3 that measures community impact), or Priority Measures in Veterans and Military Families, or Priority Measures in Disaster Services, or A Governor and Mayor Initiative NOTE: CNCS' expectation is that if Tier 1 is selected at least 30% of your MSYs are in the complementary program measures or priority measures above. If that is not the case and Tier 1 has been selected, please explain in the narrative why it was not possible to meet the 30% threshold. Programs that fit these Priority or Complementary Program Measures should use these measures. These measures can be found in Section IX, Tier 1. Tier 2: Programs that select Priority Measures in: Environmental Stewardship, or Healthy Futures, or Capacity Building Education and are not serving 100% in schools that received awards under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program and are implementing one of the SIG school intervention models and/or Priority Schools identified by a State educational agency (SEA) that has received approval from the Department of Education of its request for Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) flexibility, or Programs that have selected Priority Measures other than those in Tier 1 for: Economic Opportunity NOTE: CNCS' expectation is that if Tier 2 is selected at least 30% of your MSYs are in the priority measures above. If that is not the case and Tier 2 has been selected, please explain in the narrative why it was not possible to meet the 30% threshold. Programs that fit these Priority Measures should use these measures. These measures can be found in Section IX, Tier 1 or 2. Applicants whose members will be serving in schools that received awards under the School Improvement Grants (SIG) program and are implementing one of the SIG school intervention models and/or Priority Schools identified by a State educational agency (SEA) that has received approval from the Department of Education of its request for Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) flexibility must check the box on the Performance Measure tab in eGrants "SIG/Priority Schools" to be considered for Tier 1. The "NCES School ID" will need to be entered in the service location information at the time the members are enrolled. Tier 3: Programs that select Complementary Program Measures. These measures can be found in Section IX. Tier 3. Tier 4: Programs in the Focus Areas with self-nominated measures. Tier 5: Programs outside the Focus Areas with self-nominated measures. Continuation requests for expansion will receive priority consideration and preference in the same manner as described above.

Link to Additional
Information:

Full Notice Description

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

# electronically, please contact:

202) 606-7508

Direct email for competition.

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=242033

#### **Department of Defense**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Modification 3

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Applied Scientific Research

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant Other

**Procurement Contract** 

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 1000

CFDA Number(s): 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

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Mar 31, 2017
Mar 31, 2017
Apr 30, 2017

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of

entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

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Department of the Army -- Materiel Command

Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific

Research

Modification 4

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** W911NF-12-R-0012

Funding Opportunity Title: Army Research Office Broad Agency

Announcement for Basic and Applied

Scientific Research

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant Other

**Procurement Contract** 

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 1000

**CFDA Number(s):** 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Sep 5, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
May 31, 2012
Sep 5, 2013
Mar 31, 2017
Apr 30, 2017

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of

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The purpose of this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) is to solicit research proposals in the engineering, physical, life, and information sciences for submission to the Army Research Office (ARO) for consideration for

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

possible funding. For ease of

reference, this BAA is an extraction of

the ARO sections of the Army Research Laboratory BAA.

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Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: W911NF-12-R-0011

Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: May 31, 2012
Creation Date: May 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications: Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications: Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date: Apr 30, 2017

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant Other

**Procurement Contract** 

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 1000

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

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# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

# **Agency Name**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

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#### **Department of Education**

# **Department of Energy**

**PAMS** 

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance

**Program Grant** 

**Document Type:**Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:
DE-FOA-0000995

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office

of Science Financial Assistance Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Oct 1, 2013Creation Date:Oct 1, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2014Archive Date:Dec 31, 2014Estimated Total Program Funding:\$400,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$0 Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except

Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying

activities after December 31, 1995.

**Agency Name:** Office of Science

**Description:** The Office of Science of the Department of Energy

hereby announces its continuing interest in receiving grant applications for support of work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, and Nuclear Physics. On September 3, 1992, DOE published in the Federal Register the Office of Energy Research Financial Assistance Program (now called the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program), 10 CFR 605, as a Final Rule, which contained a solicitation for this program. Information about submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation and selection processes and other policies and procedures are specified in 10 CFR 605.

**Link to Additional Information:** FedConnect

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**PAMS** 

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Exploratory Research for Extreme-Scale Science Grant

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0001003

Funding Opportunity Title: Exploratory Research for Extreme-Scale Science

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Oct 1, 2013 Creation Date: Oct 1, 2013 Original Closing Date for Applications: Feb 28, 2014 Current Closing Date for Applications: Feb 28, 2014
Archive Date: May 28, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

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Additional Information on Eligibility: All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except

Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. Individuals with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as a Program Director/Principal Investigator are invited to work with their organizations to develop an application for assistance. Individuals from underrepresented groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for assistance.

**Agency Name:** Office of Science

**Description:** 

The Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR) program of the Office of Science (SC), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), hereby invites exploratory basic research proposals with the potential to deliver significantly advanced or improved science capabilities in light of emerging and disruptive technology changes. Desired outcomes include advances that will make massively parallel, heterogeneous computer architectures more efficient and practical to use in carrying out scientific research activities. A complementary ASCR objective is to build up the computational research infrastructure for enabling data-intensive science advances. A companion Program Announcement open to DOE National Laboratories (LAB 14-1003) will be posted on the SC Grants and Contracts web site at:

http://www.science.doe.gov/grants The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001003&agency=DOE.

**Link to Additional Information:** FedConnect

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**PAMS** 

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

**Energy Frontier Research Centers Grant** 

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0001010

Funding Opportunity Title: Energy Frontier Research Centers

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Other

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Sep 30, 2013 **Creation Date:** Sep 30, 2013

**Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jan 9, 2014 Letters of intent are mandatory and must

be submitted by 11/13/2013 in accordance with the instructions in the EOA. Formal applications

instructions in the FOA. Formal applications

received from an applicant who has not submitted a letter of intent will not be considered for an award. Jan 9, 2014 Letters of intent are mandatory and

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 9, 2014 Letters of intent are mandatory and

must be submitted by 11/13/2013 in accordance with the instructions in the FOA. Formal applications received from an applicant who has not submitted a letter of intent will not be considered for an award.

Archive Date: Sep 30, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

#### **Eligible Applicants:**

# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" U.S. citizens and lawful permanent residents are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization) or subawardee (team member). For-profit entities, educational institutions, and nonprofits that are incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a particular State or territory of the United States are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. Nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995, are not eligible to apply for funding. State, local, and tribal government entities are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. DOE/NNSA National Laboratories are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient or subawardee. Non-DOE/NNSA FFRDCs and non-DOE GOGOs are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient. Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient. Foreign entities, whether for-profit or otherwise, are eligible to apply for funding under this FOA. Other than as provided in the Individuals or Domestic Entities sections above, all prime recipients receiving funding under this FOA must be incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a State or territory of the United States. If a foreign entity applies for funding as a prime recipient, it must designate in the Letter of Intent and full application a subsidiary or affiliate incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a State or territory of the United States to be the prime recipient. A foreign entity, with or without a subsidiary or affiliate incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a state or territory of the United States, may receive funding as a subawardee (team member).

Agency Name: Description:

Office of Science

The Department of Energy, Office of Basic Energy Sciences (BES), is seeking new and renewal applications for Energy Frontier Research Centers

(EFRCs) to conduct fundamental research focused on one or more grand challenges and use-inspired basic research needs? Identified in major strategic planning efforts by BES and the scientific community. The mission of the BES program is to support fundamental research to understand, predict, and ultimately control matter and energy at the electronic, atomic, and molecular levels in order to provide the foundations for new energy technologies and to support DOE's mission emphases in energy, the environment, and national security. EFRCs are intended to bring together the skills and talents of multiple investigators to enable fundamental research to enhance U.S. energy security and to meet the global need for abundant, clean, and economical energy. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA. which can be obtained at

https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-

FOA-0001010&agency=DOE

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Golden Field Office

U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015 Grant **Document Type:**Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0000959

Funding Opportunity Title: U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 20

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:Nov 1, 2013Creation Date:Nov 1, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Dec 20, 2013Current Closing Date for Applications:Dec 20, 2013Archive Date:Mar 20, 2014Estimated Total Program Funding:\$1,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$0
Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Private institutions of higher education

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** Through The U.S. Department of Energy Solar Decathlon 2015 Funding

Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the Department of Energy challenges 20 domestic and international affiliated collegiate teams to design, build, and operate solar-powered houses that are cost effective, energy-efficient, and attractive. The winner of the competition is the team that best blends affordability, consumer appeal, and design excellence with optimal energy production and maximum efficiency. The purposes of the Solar Decathlon are to: Educate students and the public about the money-saving opportunities and environmental benefits presented by clean-energy products and design solutions. ? Demonstrate to the public the comfort and affordability of homes that combine energy-efficient construction and appliances with renewableenergy systems available today. Provide participating students with unique training that prepares them to enter our nation's clean-energy workforce. The challenge to the teams competing in Solar Decathlon 2015 is to safely and effectively design, build, and operate solar-powered houses that are costeffective, energy-efficient, and attractive in less than 24 months. The Department of Energy Solar Decathlon is an educational workforce development program designed to educate university-level students. The Solar Decathlon is also a public outreach demonstration designed to foster greater adoption of clean energy technologies and energy efficiency. The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website https://eere- exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.

Link to Additional Information: <a href="https://eere-exchange.gov">https://eere-exchange.gov</a>

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Idaho Field Office

FY2014 Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research Grant

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0000998

Funding Opportunity Title: FY2014 Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 57

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.121 -- Nuclear Energy Research, Development

and Demonstration

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Oct 31, 2013
Apr 3, 2014
Apr 3, 2014
Apr 3, 2014
Archive Date:
May 3, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:
\$60,400,000

Award Ceiling: \$5,000,000

Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: This FOA is open to U.S. universities, national

laboratories and U.S. industry. Please read PART III of the FOA document for all Eligibility Information.

**Agency Name:** Idaho Field Office

**Description:** DOE is seeking applications from U.S. universities, national laboratories and industry to conduct Program Supporting, Mission Supporting and Program Directed nuclear energy-related research in support of the major NE-funded research programs. Additionally, DOE has interest in leveraging multiple needs to the extent possible. Appendix D provides a description of key data needs for validating advanced modeling and simulation tools being developed by NE. Researchers should evaluate their applications in light of these data needs and highlight any potential for capturing key data. The definitions that apply to these different areas are as follows: 1. Program Supporting R&D – Program supporting (PS) R&D is focused more directly on programmatic needs and is defined by the statement of objectives developed by the responsible programs. This

R&D is up to three years in duration and should be focused and responsive to the representative statement of objectives, which are not specific to a discipline but can be limiting as defined by the project objective. • U.S. University Principal Investigators (PIs) may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D, NEAMS, and NEET CTD. • National Laboratory, U.S. University, and U.S. Industry PI's may apply in support of NEET CTD. 2. Mission Supporting (MS) R&D – Mission Supporting (MS) R&D is generally more creative, innovative, and transformative, but must also support the NE mission. Mission supporting activities up to three years in duration that could produce breakthroughs in nuclear technology are also invited in response to this FOA, including research in the fields or disciplines of nuclear science and engineering that are relevant to NE's mission but may not fully align with the specific initiatives and programs identified in this FOA. • U.S. University PI'S may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D and Nuclear Energy. 3. Program Directed R&D: Integrated Research Projects (IRPs) – IRPs comprise a significant element of DOE's innovative nuclear research objectives and represent the Program Directed (PD) component of the NE strategy to provide R&D solutions that are most directly relevant to the near ‐ term, significant needs of the NE R&D programs. IRPs are significant projects within specific research areas. IRPs are up to three years in duration and intended to develop a capability within each area to address specific needs, problems, or capability gaps identified and defined by NE. These projects are multidisciplinary and require multi‐institutional partners. IRPs may include a combination of evaluation capability development, research program development, experimental work, and computer simulations. IRPs bring together the skills and talents of interdisciplinary investigators to enable fundamental research of a scope and complexity that would not be possible with the standard individual investigator or small group research project. As such, the IRPs will strengthen and complement the existing portfolio of the single PI and small group research projects currently supported within NE. The IRPs will foster unique scientific collaboration that will be critical to success and must be backed by a meaningful and sustained investment. The IRPs are intended to integrate several disciplinary skills in order to present solutions to complex systems design problems that cannot be addressed by a less comprehensive team. Although a proposing team must have a lead university and at least one other university, the proposed project team may include multiple universities and non-university partners (e.g., industry/utility, international, minority-serving institutions (MSI), national laboratory, and underrepresented groups). Key elements for successful IRP management include: 1) A clear lead university with strong scientific leadership and central location for the IRP; 2) To the extent that there is geographic distribution of the IRP participants, a clear commitment to applying state-of-the-art technology and frequent virtual meetings to enable meaningful long distance collaboration; and most importantly 3) a clear organization and management plan for achieving the collaborative and synergistic goals of an IRP and "infusing" a culture of empowered central research management throughout U.S. University PI'S may apply in support of FC R&D, RC RD&D and Nuclear Energy. Workscopes for the respective areas may be found in the appendices to this FOA as follows: • Appendix A: Program Supporting and Mission Supporting workscopes for applications led by university PI's • Appendix B: Program Supporting workscopes for applications led by national laboratory, industry, or university PI's • Appendix C: Program Directed workscopes led by university PI's

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Idaho Field Office

FY2014 Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research

Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0000999

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY2014 Scientific Infrastructure Support for

Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.121 -- Nuclear Energy Research, Development

and Demonstration

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:Oct 31, 2013Creation Date:Oct 31, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Apr 3, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Apr 3, 2014Archive Date:May 3, 2014Estimated Total Program Funding:\$6,500,000Award Ceiling:\$3,000,000

Award Floor: \$1

**Eligible Applicants:** 

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Restricted Eligibility 1) Universities and Colleges In accordance with 10 CFR 600.6(b), eligibility for award is restricted to U.S. universities and colleges. Underrepresented Groups and Minority-Serving Institutions (e.g., Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Hispanic Serving Institutions, Tribal Serving Institutions) are encouraged to apply. The following link provides the list of minority serving institutions: http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/edlite-minorityinst.html. If the University has an award in progress from DOE under one of the FOA areas specified in the Infrastructure FOA from a previous year's FOA, the University may be ineligible to apply for a new award under this Infrastructure FOA opportunity. Existing projects must be completed and all associated funds in excess of \$250,000 must be costed prior to the application due date to be considered for an award. 2)

DOE/NNSA Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs)

DOE/NNSA Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs) and DOE Government-Operated Government-Owned laboratories (GOGOs) are eligible to apply for funding under the General Scientific Infrastructure Support for Consolidated Innovative Nuclear Research and for the NEET CTD as a prime recipient.

**Agency Name:** Idaho Field Office

**Description:** DOE is seeking applications under this Infrastructure FOA in the following areas: 1. University Reactor Upgrades Infrastructure Support 2. General Scientific Infrastructure Support for Universities and DOE National Laboratories. An application to either of these FOA areas is restricted to equipment or activities supporting research, teaching, and education, such as the purchase, set-up, and vendor installation costs for equipment and instrumentation, as well as building modifications that immediately support the installation and operation of the equipment.

**Link to Additional Information:** 

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Headquarters

Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) Grant

**Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:**Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0001026

Funding Opportunity Title: Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical

Systems (REBELS)

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

CFDA Number(s): 81.135 -- Advanced Research Projects Agency -

Energy

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Oct 28, 2013
Dec 31, 2013
Dec 31, 2013
Archive Date:
Dec 31, 2013
Jan 30, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

**Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

# **Eligible Applicants:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Headquarters

**Description:** U.S. Department of Energy Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy Announcement of Teaming Partner List for Upcoming Funding Opportunity Announcement: Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) The Advanced Research Projects Agency Energy (ARPA-E) intends to issue a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled Reliable Electricity Based on Electrochemical Systems (REBELS) to solicit applications for financial assistance to fund new intermediate temperature fuel cell (ITFC) technologies that efficiently generate stationary power from fossil fuels in the near-term, while simultaneously building a bridge to a zero carbon future. Currently, ARPA-E anticipates that there will be three specific areas of interest identified in the REBELS FOA as follows: (1) low-cost, efficient, reliable ITFCs for small distributed generation applications, (2) ITFCs that are capable of in-situ charge storage in an electrode to enable battery-like response to transients, and (3) electrochemical devices that produce liquid fuels from methane using excess renewable resources. Fuel cell systems based on existing Department of Energy R&D programs, such as low temperature polymer exchange membrane (LT-PEM) and high temperature solid oxide fuel cells (HT-SOFCs), will not be areas of interest for the anticipated REBELS FOA. Expertise in the following Technical Areas may be useful in responding to the FOA: intermediate temperature solid electrolytes; intermediate temperature electrocatalysts/electrodes with low or zero platinum group metal (PGM) loading; new approaches to activate carbon/hydrogen bonds for intermediate temperature fuel reforming; new approaches to direct reforming of fuels at a fuel cell electrode; novel fuel cell manufacturing processes without high temperature sintering; integration of fuel cell and battery functionality at the device level (rather than system level); and electrochemical production of liquid fuels. As a general matter, ARPA-E strongly encourages outstanding scientists and engineers from different organizations, scientific disciplines, and technology sectors to form new project teams. Interdisciplinary and cross-sector collaboration spanning organizational boundaries enables and accelerates the achievement of scientific and technological outcomes that were previously viewed as extremely difficult, if not impossible. The Teaming Partner List is being compiled to facilitate the formation of new project teams. The Teaming Partner List will be available on ARPA-E eXCHANGE (http://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov), ARPA-E's online application portal, starting in October 2013. The Teaming Partner List will be updated periodically, until the close of the Full Application period, to reflect new Teaming Partners who have provided their information. Any organization that would like to be included on this list should complete all required fields in the following link: https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/Applicantprofile.aspx. Required information includes: Organization Name, Contact Name, Contact Address, Contact Email, Contact Phone, Organization Type, Area of Technical Expertise, and Brief Description of Capabilities. By submitting a response to this Notice, you consent to the publication of the above-referenced information. By facilitating this Teaming Partner List, ARPA-E does not endorse or otherwise evaluate the qualifications of the entities that selfidentify themselves for placement on the Teaming Partner List. ARPA-E will not pay for the provision of any information, nor will it compensate any respondents for the

development of such information. Responses submitted to other email addresses or by other means will not be considered. This Notice does not constitute a FOA. No FOA exists at this time. Applicants must refer to the final FOA, expected to be issued by the end of the 2013 calendar year, for instructions on submitting an application and for the terms and conditions of funding.

**Link to Additional Information:** https://arpa-e-foa.energy.gov/Applicantprofile.aspx **Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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**Business Point of Contact** 

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Golden Field Office

RFI - Building Technologies Office Prioritization Tool Grant **Document Type:**Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001024

Funding Opportunity Title: RFI - Building Technologies Office Prioritization

Tool

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Oct 25, 2013 Creation Date: Oct 25, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 24, 2013 Responses required by 12/24/13. This

RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting

applications at this time.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 24, 2013 Responses required by 12/24/13. This

RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting

applications at this time.

Archive Date: Feb 26, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

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"Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** The U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Building Technologies Office (BTO) developed the Prioritization Tool to improve its programmatic decision-making by evaluating the long-term impact to energy consumption by technologies and activities. The tool provides an objective framework for most energy-saving measures and scenarios as well as methodology comparing long-term benefits and end-user costs applied to various markets, end-uses, and lifetimes. BTO seeks comments and information related to the Prioritization Tool that improves the tool's accuracy, applicability and influence technology planning within BTO. Specifically, this notice solicits comments and information on data, assumptions and outputs of various energy efficiency technologies and activities analyzed by the Prioritization Tool. The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to gather feedback from stakeholders prior to DOE potentially issuing a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications at this time. All responses to this RFI must be provided as an attachment (in Microsoft Word format) to an e-mail message addressed to BTO P Tool RFI@go.doe.gov. Responses must be received no later than 05:00PM EDT on 12/24/2013. The full content of the announcement can be found on the EERE Exchange website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov.

Link to Additional Information: https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Edward W. Campbell, Grants Management Specialist BTO\_P\_Tool\_RFI@go.doe.gov Submit all questions to BTO\_P\_Tool\_RFI@go.doe.gov <a href="http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245513">http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245513</a>

#### **PAMS**

Department of Energy - Office of Science Office of Science SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase II Release 1 Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001019

**Funding Opportunity Title:** SBIR/STTR FY 2014 Phase II Release 1

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance

Program

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Oct 22, 2013Creation Date:Oct 22, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Dec 10, 2013

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Dec 10, 2013 **Archive Date:** Mar 10, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses
Agency Name: Office of Science

**Description:** The Department of Energy (DOE) invites eligible

Phase I and Phase II grantees to apply for Phase II

grants (both initial and sequential) under the

Funding Opportunity Announcement. The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-

FOA-0001019&agency=DOE.

Link to Additional Information: FedConnect

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Carl C. Hebron, Program Analyst, 301-903-1414

carl.hebron@science.doe.gov carl.hebron@science.doe.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244833

Golden Field Office

Demonstration and Deployment Strategies Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**DE-FOA-0001013

Funding Opportunity Title: Demonstration and Deployment Strategies

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Other **Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and

Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Oct 30, 2013Creation Date:Oct 30, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Dec 6, 2013Current Closing Date for Applications:Dec 6, 2013

Archive Date: Mar 31, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0 **Award Ceiling:** \$0 **Award Floor:** \$0

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

Description: The Department of Energy's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) is soliciting feedback from industry, academia, research laboratories, government agencies, and other stakeholders on issues related to advanced biofuel, bioproducts, and biopower technology validation and potential deployment strategies. EERE is specifically interested in information on advanced biofuel, bioproducts, and biopower technologies that are ready for technology validation at a Technology Readiness Level of 6 or higher. The purpose of this Request for Information (RFI) is to gather feedback from stakeholders prior to DOE potentially issuing a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA). This RFI is not a FOA; therefore, DOE is not accepting applications for funding at this time. All responses to this RFI must be provided as an attachment (in Microsoft Word format or PDF) to an e-mail message addressed to DDRFI@go.doe.gov. Responses must be received no later than 11:59 PM EST on December 6, 2013. The full content of the announcement can be found on the EERE Exchange website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov.

Link to Additional Information: https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Brenda L. Dias, Grants Management Specialist DDRFI@go.doe.gov Submit questions to DDRFI@go.doe.gov http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245993

Golden Field Office

Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001000

Funding Opportunity Title: Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration

Technologies (CRAFT)

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date: Nov 5, 2013

Creation Date: Nov 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Feb 5, 2014 Current Closing Date for Applications: Feb 5, 2014

Archive Date: May 6, 2014

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0

**Award Ceiling:** \$0

**Award Floor: \$0** 

#### **Eligibility**

#### **Eligible Applicants:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subrecipient, but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient.

#### **Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** Golden Field Office

**Description:** Through this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) the Building Technologies Office (BTO) seeks to establish a performance rating mechanism for assessing the energy performance of fenestration attachments. DOE and the fenestration attachments industry have identified accurate and objective performance data as a critical need for product adoption. The selected applicant to the Craft FOA will provide a thirdparty rating, certification, and labeling program, which will enable consumers to distinguish among energy-efficient attachment products and models. The underlying data will assist architects and engineers in better understanding the energy impact of particular products. The Certification and Rating of Attachments for Fenestration Technologies (CRAFT) awardee will develop rating, certification, performance verification, and labeling standards for residential and commercial fenestration attachments. The successful applicant will also develop a Program to rate fenestration attachment energy performance and provide accurate and useful product comparison criteria, allowing end users in residential and commercial markets to assess the relative energy cost/benefits of fenestration attachments. "The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov. Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website https://eereexchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx after logging in to the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website."

**Link to Additional Information:** https://eere-exchange.energy.gov **Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full an

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246833

#### Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement Sunshot Incubator Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** DE-FOA-0001031

Funding Opportunity Title: Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity

Announcement Sunshot Incubator Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

**Category of Funding Activity:** Energy

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Nov 5, 2013

Creation Date: Nov 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Notice of Intent to issue FOA

Notice of Intent to issue FOA

Archive Date: Nov 29, 2013

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$0

Award Ceiling: \$0

Award Floor: \$0

#### **Eligibility**

#### **Eligible Applicants:**

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

#### **Additional Information**

**Agency Name**: Golden Field Office

**Description**: The Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Solar Energy Technology Office, a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled SunShot Incubator Program. This Notice is issued so that interested parties are aware of the DOE?s intention to issue this Funding Opportunity Announcement in the near term. Any of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. The DOE will not entertain any questions or telephone calls at this time involving this Notice. Once the Funding Opportunity

Announcement has been released, DOE will provide an avenue for potential applicants to submit questions. This is a Notice of Intent (NOI) only. DOE is not accepting applications for funding as a result of this notice. DOE may issue a FOA as described herein, may issue a FOA that is significantly different than the FOA described herein, or DOE may not issue a FOA at all.

Link to Additional Information: https://eere-exchange.energy.gov

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246754

#### **Environmental Protection Agency**

Modifications:

#### **Department of Health and Human Services**

National Institutes of Health

PAR-13-357 Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH

Clinical Center (X02)

**Grants Notice Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:** PAR-13-357

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH

Clinical Center (X02)

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant **Category of Funding Activity:** Education Health

Income Security and Social Services

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 93.172 -- Human Genome Research

> 93.173 -- Research Related to **Deafness and Communication**

Disorders

93.233 -- National Center on Sleep

Disorders Research

93.242 -- Mental Health Research

Grants

93.273 -- Alcohol Research

**Programs** 

93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction

Research Programs

93.286 -- Discovery and Applied

Research for Technological

Innovations to Improve Human

Health

93.393 -- Cancer Cause and

**Prevention Research** 

93.394 -- Cancer Detection and

Diagnosis Research

93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research

93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research

93.399 -- Cancer Control

93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases

Research

93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research

93.839 -- Blood Diseases and

Resources Research

93.853 -- Extramural Research

Programs in the Neurosciences and

Neurological Disorders

93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and

Transplantation Research 93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research 93.865 -- Child Health and Human

Development Extramural Research 93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Sep 20, 2013

Creation Date: Sep 23, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Nov 20, 2014

**Current Closing Date for Applications:** Nov 20, 2014

Archive Date: Dec 21, 2014

Eligible Applicants: City or township governments

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status

with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Independent school districts For profit organizations other than small businesses Special district governments Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses State governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) County governments Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** 

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Asian American Native American Pacific **Islander Serving Institutions** (AANAPISISs); Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs); U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as

Agency Name:

National Institutes of Health

Description:

The goal of this program is to

The goal of this program is to support collaborative translational research projects aligned with NIH efforts to enhance the translation of basic biological discoveries into clinical applications that improve

defined in the NIH Grants Policy

health. It encourages high quality science demonstrating the potential

to result in understanding an important disease process or lead to new therapeutic interventions, diagnostics, or prevention strategies

within the research interests and priorities of the participating NIH

Institutes/Centers (ICs).

Link to Additional Information: <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-</a>

files/PAR-13-357.html

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the

full announcement electronically,

please contact:

NIH OER Webmaster

FBOWebmaster@OD.NIH.GOV

If you have any problems linking to this funding announcement, please contact the NIH OER Webmaster

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=243234

National Institutes of Health

Reissue PHS 2013-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH for Small Business Technology Transfer Grant Applications (Parent STTR [R41/R42]) Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: PA-13-235
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: May 30, 2013
Creation Date: May 30, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 07, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 07, 2014
Archive Date: Feb 07, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Education

Environment Food and Nutrition

Health

Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

93.113 -- Environmental Health

93.121 -- Oral Diseases and Disorders

Research

93.172 -- Human Genome Research

93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness

and Communication Disorders

93.213 -- Research and Training in

Complementary and Alternative Medicine

93.233 -- National Center on Sleep

Disorders Research

93.242 -- Mental Health Research Grants

93.273 -- Alcohol Research Programs

93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction

Research Programs

93.286 -- Discovery and Applied

Research for Technological Innovations to

Improve Human Health

93.307 -- Minority Health and Health

Disparities Research

93.350 -- National Center for Advancing

**Translational Sciences** 

93.351 -- Research Infrastructure

Programs

93.361 -- Nursing Research

93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention

Research

93.394 -- Cancer Detection and

Diagnosis Research

93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research

93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research

93.399 -- Cancer Control

93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases

Research

93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research

93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources

Research

93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal and

Skin Diseases Research

93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and

Kidney Diseases Extramural Research

93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs in the Neurosciences and Neurological

Disorders

93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and

Transplantation Research

93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious

Diseases Research

93.859 -- Biomedical Research and

Research Training

93.865 -- Child Health and Human

Development Extramural Research

93.866 -- Aging Research

93.867 -- Vision Research

93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

### **Eligible Applicants**

Small businesses

#### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, may be allowed.

#### **Agency Name**

National Institutes of Health

#### **Description**

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) reissued by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) invites eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) to submit Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grant applications. United States SBCs that have the research capabilities and technological expertise to contribute to the R&D mission(s) of the NIH awarding components identified in this FOA are encouraged to submit STTR grant applications in response to identified topics (see PHS 2013-2 SBIR/STTR Program Descriptions and Research Topics for NIH.)

#### **Link to Additional Information**

http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-235.html

#### If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

NIH OER Webmaster FBOWebmaster@OD.NIH.GOV

If you have any problems linking to this funding announcement, please contact the NIH OER Webmaster

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=235675

# Department of Health and Human Services National Institutes of Health

PHS 2013-02 Omnibus Solicitation of the NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF for Small Business Innovation Research Grant Applications (Parent SBIR [R43/R44]) Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: PA-13-088
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: Jan 24, 2013
Creation Date: Jan 24, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 07, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 07, 2014
Archive Date: Feb 07, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Education
Environment

Food and Nutrition

Health

Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

93.103 -- Food and Drug Administration Research

93.113 -- Environmental Health

93.121 -- Oral Diseases and Disorders

Research

93.136 -- Injury Prevention and Control Research and State and Community Based **Programs** 

93.172 -- Human Genome Research

93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness

and Communication Disorders

93.184 -- Disabilities Prevention

93.213 -- Research and Training in

Complementary and Alternative Medicine

93.233 -- National Center on Sleep

Disorders Research

93.242 -- Mental Health Research Grants

93.262 -- Occupational Safety and Health Program

93.273 -- Alcohol Research Programs

93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction

Research Programs

93.283 -- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Investigations and Technical Assistance

93.286 -- Discovery and Applied

Research for Technological Innovations to

Improve Human Health

93.307 -- Minority Health and Health

Disparities Research

93.350 -- National Center for Advancing

**Translational Sciences** 

93.351 -- Research Infrastructure

Programs

93.361 -- Nursing Research

93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention

Research

93.394 -- Cancer Detection and

Diagnosis Research

93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research

93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research

93.399 -- Cancer Control

93.595 -- Welfare Reform Research,

**Evaluations and National Studies** 

93.647 -- Social Services Research and

Demonstration

93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases

Research

93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research

93.839 -- Blood Diseases and Resources

Research

93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal and

Skin Diseases Research

93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and

Kidney Diseases Extramural Research

93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs

in the Neurosciences and Neurological

Disorders

93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and

Transplantation Research

93.856 -- Microbiology and Infectious

Diseases Research

93.859 -- Biomedical Research and

**Research Training** 

93.865 -- Child Health and Human

Development Extramural Research

93.866 -- Aging Research

93.867 -- Vision Research

93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

Small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) invites eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) to submit Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications. United States SBCs that have the research capabilities and technological expertise to contribute to the R&D mission(s) of the NIH, CDC, FDA or ACF awarding components identified in this FOA are encouraged to submit SBIR grant applications in response to identified topics (see PHS 2013-2 SBIR/STTR Program Descriptions and Research Topics for NIH, CDC, FDA and ACF

Link to Additional Information

http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-088.html

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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Synopsis Modification History

There are currently no modifications for this opportunity.

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=217575

# **Department of Homeland Security**

**United States Coast Guard** 

National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: DHS-USCG-2014-001

**Funding Opportunity Title:** National Non-Profit Organization Grant Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other

Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Category Explanation: Recreational Boating Safety

**Expected Number of Awards:** 30

**CFDA Number(s):** 97.012 -- Boating Safety Financial Assistance

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Oct 30, 2013
Jan 31, 2014
Jan 31, 2014
Archive Date:
Mar 2, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:
\$5,000,000

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,

other than institutions of higher education

**Agency Name:** United States Coast Guard

**Description:** The purpose of the National Recreational Boating

Safety Program is to reduce the number of accidents, injuries and deaths on America's waterways and provide a safe enjoyable experience for the boating public. The program also encourages greater non-profit organizations participation and uniformity in

boating safety efforts.

Link to Additional Information: United States Coast Guard Boating Safety

**Contact Information:** If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Carlin Hertz Non Profit Grants Coordinator Phone

202-372-1060

Non Profit Grants Coordinator

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=245913

# **Department of Housing and Urban Development**

# Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section And Modification 1

Document Type: Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: FR-5700-N-01

Opportunity Category: Other

Posted Date: Aug 08, 2012 Creation Date: Aug 22, 2012

Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO

FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS

NOTICE.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 31, 2013 THERE IS NO

FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS

NOTICE.

Archive Date: Jan 31, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Housing

Category Explanation: THERE IS NO FUNDING

#### ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s):

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

The individual program NOFA will describe the applicant eligibility requirements. Applicants should be aware that HUD does not directly fund individuals through its formula-based programs or its competitive program NOFA process. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

# **Agency Name**

Department of Housing and Urban Development

# **Description**

The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all of HUD's FY2013 individual program NOFAs. The General Section also provides overall guidance regarding HUD's Policy Priorities and their relationship to HUD's Strategic Plan Goals as stated in the Department's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015. Each individual program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program NOFA, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination and environmental protection, and any additional program requirements or limitations. To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program for which you intend to apply, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the individual program NOFAs. THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.

#### **Link to Additional Information**

Click on Housing and Urban Development for a listing of ALL HUD NOFAs.

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

For further information on HUD's FY2013 Policy Requirements and General Section, contact the Office of Strategic Planning and Management 202-708-0667. This is not a toll-free number. Email questions to above individual.

#### **Synopsis Modification History**

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

| File Name         | Date         |
|-------------------|--------------|
| Original Synopsis | Aug 08, 2012 |

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=190513

#### **Modifications:**

### **Institute of Museum and Library Services**

National Leadership Grants for Libraries Grant (SEE MODIFICATION IN NOTICES ABOVE)

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** NLG-LIBRARIES-FY14

Funding Opportunity Title: National Leadership Grants for Libraries

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 40

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.312 -- National Leadership Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Estimated Total Program Funding:
Award Ceiling:
Nov 1, 2013
Oct 31, 2013
Feb 3, 2014
Feb 3, 2014
Mar 5, 2014
\$10,000,000
\$500,000

# **Eligible Applicants:**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Additional Information on Eligibility: To be eligible as a library applicant for a National Leadership Grant, you must • be either a unit of state or local government or be a private nonprofit organization that has tax-exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; • be located in one of the 50 States of the United States of America, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and • qualify as one of the following: ◦ a library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a state agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, public elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available. Research libraries must be under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person and be either generally recognized as possessing unique, scholarly research materials and services that are made available to the public, or able to demonstrate that such is the case when submitting an application to IMLS. ◦ a private library or other special library, but only if the state in which it is located determines that the library should be considered a library for purposes of Library Services and Technology (see 20 U.S.C. 9121-9165); ◦ an academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make application; ◦ a digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff person; ◦ a library agency that is an official agency of a state or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction; ◦ a library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries; or ◦ a library association that exists on a permanent basis; serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, state, or local level; and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession.

**Agency Name:** Institute of Museum and Library Services **Description:** National Leadership Grants support projects that address challenges faced by the museum, library, and/or archive fields and that have the potential to advance practice in those fields. Successful proposals will seek innovative responses to the challenge(s) identified in the proposals, and will have national impact. For FY2014, IMLS continues to pursue its commitment to early learning by seeking proposals addressing learners from ages 0-8 and their parents and caregivers. Library applicants are encouraged

to partner with community organizations to address at least one of the challenges identified by the Campaign for Grade Level Reading including school readiness, summer reading loss, and chronic school absence. Click here to learn more about IMLS's role in this initiative. Projects addressing the goals of the Campaign for Grade Level Reading should check the appropriate box on the Program Information Sheet component of the application. The National Leadership Grant program accepts applications under three main categories: •Advancing Digital Resources—Support the creation, use, presentation, and preservation of significant digital resources as well as the development of tools to enhance access, use, and management of digital assets. •Research—Support research that investigates key questions that are important to museum, library, and archival practice. •Demonstration—Support projects that produce a replicable model or practice that is usable, adaptable, or scalable by other institutions for improving services and performance. Applicants may choose to submit a Project Grant, Planning Grant, or National Forum Grant proposal in any of the above categories. •Project Grants support fully developed projects for which needs assessments, partnership development, feasibility analyses, prototyping, and other planning activities have been completed. •Planning Grants allow project teams to perform preliminary planning activities that could lead to a subsequent full project, such as needs and feasibility analyses, solidifying partnerships, developing project work plans, or developing prototypes or proofs of concept. Applications for Planning Grants must include at least one formal partner in addition to the lead applicant. •National Forum Grants provide the opportunity to convene qualified groups of experts and key stakeholders to consider issues or challenges that are important to libraries, museums, and/or archives across the nation. Grant-supported meetings are expected to produce widely disseminated reports with expert recommendations for action or research that address a key challenge identified in the proposal. The expert recommendations resulting from these meetings are intended to guide future proposals to the National Leadership Grant program.

### **Link to Additional Information:**

http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=14

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### **Department of Interior**

Fish and Wildlife Service

# National Fish Passage Program Modification 3

Document Type: Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: FWS-NFPP-FY11

Opportunity Category:

Posted Date:

Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2012

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2014

Archive Date:

Oct 30, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 80

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$11,000,000 Award Ceiling: \$500,000 Award Floor: \$200

CFDA Number(s): 15.608 -- Fish and Wildlife Management

Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

**Eligible Applicants** 

City or township governments

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

### **Agency Name**

Fish and Wildlife Service

## **Description**

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) Fisheries Program's National Fish Passage Program is a voluntary, non-regulatory conservation assistance program that provides financial and technical assistance to remove or bypass artificial barriers that impede the movement of fish and other aquatic species and contribute to their decline. The National Fish Passage Program received \$11.0 million of operational funds to implement the program in Fiscal Years 2011. The Service will implement fish passage improvement-based, cost-shared projects to protect, restore, or enhance habitats that support fish and other aquatic species and their populations. All or a portion of project funds may be transferred to partner organizations through cooperative agreements if the Service lacks the capability to implement a project. To determine eligibility of a specific project contact the REGIONAL COORDINATOR in your area. A list of Coordinators and their responsible geographical areas is attached to this announcement under the APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS.

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National Park Service FY2013 THPO Historic Preservation Fund Grants in Aid Modification 1

Document Type: Modification to Previous Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: P13AS00003
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: Feb 05, 2013
Creation Date: Feb 05, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2014

Archive Date:

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation

of Other Category of Funding Activity"

for clarification)

Category Explanation: Cultural and Historic Preservation

Expected Number of Awards: 143

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$8,500,000

Award Ceiling: \$0 Award Floor: \$0

CFDA Number(s): 15.904 -- Historic Preservation Fund

#### Grants-In-Aid

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

# **Agency Name**

National Park Service

#### Description

To provide formula grants to Tribal Historic Preservation Offices (THPO) for the identification, evaluation, and cultural and historical preservation by such means as survey, education, archeology, planning, and technical assistance. To assist THPOs in carrying out responsibilities as stated under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended through 2006.

#### **Link to Additional Information**

http://www.nps.gov/history/thpo/grant\_application.html

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| Department of Justice                        |  |
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| National Archives and Records Administration |  |

**National Endowment for the Arts** 

#### **National Endowment for the Humanities**

#### Media Projects Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** 20140108-TD

**Funding Opportunity Title:** Media Projects **Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date: Nov 5, 2013

Creation Date: Nov 5, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 8, 2014 Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 8, 2014

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling:** \$1,000,000

**Award Floor: \$1** 

# **Eligible Applicants:**

Private institutions of higher education

County governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

State governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Special district governments

City or township governments

### **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

#### **Additional Information**

**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description:** Media Projects grants support the following formats: interactive digital media; film and television projects; and radio projects. Interactive digital media may be websites, games, mobile applications, virtual environments, streaming video, podcasts, or other digital formats. Film and television projects may be single programs or a series addressing significant figures, events, or ideas and drawing their content from humanities

scholarship. The programs must be intended for national distribution. The program welcomes projects ranging in length from short-form to broadcast-length video. Radio projects may involve single programs, limited series, or segments within an ongoing program. They may also develop new humanities content to augment existing radio programming or add greater historical background or humanities analysis to the subjects of existing programs. They may be intended for regional or national distribution. NEH encourages projects that feature multiple formats to engage the public in the exploration of humanities ideas. Proposed projects might include complementary components that expand or deepen the audience's understanding of a subject: for example, museum exhibitions, book/film discussion programs, or other formats that engage audiences in new ways. Media Projects grants may not, however, be used to support programs; general operating costs. Grant Categories Development grants enable media producers to collaborate with scholars to develop humanities content and to prepare programs for production. Grants should result in a script or a design document and should also yield a detailed plan for outreach and public engagement in collaboration with a partner organization or organizations. Production grants support the production and distribution of digital projects, films, television programs, radio programs, and related programs that promise to engage the public.

### **Link to Additional Information:**

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=246714

### National Digital Newspaper Program Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** 20140115-PJ

Funding Opportunity Title: National Digital Newspaper Program

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 

**CFDA Number(s):** 45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of

Preservation and Access

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

Posted Date:Oct 17, 2013Creation Date:Oct 17, 2013Original Closing Date for Applications:Jan 15, 2014Current Closing Date for Applications:Jan 15, 2014

**Archive Date:** 

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** 

Award Ceiling: \$325,000 \$1

**Award Floor:** 

Private institutions of higher education **Eligible Applicants:** 

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,

other than institutions of higher education

City or township governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Special district governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

County governments State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

**Agency Name:** National Endowment for the Humanities

**Description:** NEH is soliciting proposals from institutions to participate in the National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP). NDNP is creating a national digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1836 and 1922, from all the states and U.S. territories. This searchable database will be permanently maintained at the Library of Congress (LC) and will be freely accessible via the Internet. (See the website, Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers.) An accompanying national newspaper directory of bibliographic and holdings information on the website directs users to newspaper titles available in all types of formats. During the course of its partnership with NEH, LC will also digitize and contribute to the NDNP database a significant number of newspaper pages drawn from its own collections. NEH intends to support projects in all states and U.S. territories, provided that sufficient funds allocated for this purpose are available. One organization within each U.S. state or territory will receive an award to collaborate with relevant state partners in this effort. Previously funded projects will be eligible to receive supplements for continued work, but the program will give priority to new projects. In particular, the program will give priority to projects from states and territories that have not received NDNP funding.

# **Link to Additional Information:**

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National Digital Newspaper Program Division of Preservation and Access Room 411 National Endowment for the Humanities 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20506 202-606-8570 preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=244514

Advancing Informal STEM Learning Grant

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** 13-608

Funding Opportunity Title: Advancing Informal STEM Learning

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

**Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and

Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 46

**CFDA Number(s):** 47.076 -- Education and Human Resources

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** No

**Posted Date:** Oct 21, 2013 **Creation Date:** Oct 21, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 14, 2014 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 14,

2014 November 14, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 14, 2014 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 14,

2014 November 14, 2014

Archive Date: Dec 14, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$27,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$3,000,000
Award Floor: \$300,000

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

**Agency Name:** National Science Foundation

**Description:** The Advancing Informal STEM Learning (AISL) program seeks to advance new approaches to and evidence-based understanding of the design and development of STEM learning in informal environments; provide multiple pathways for broadening access to and engagement in STEM learning experiences; advance innovative research on and assessment of STEM learning in informal environments; and develop understandings of deeper learning by participants. The AISL program supports five types of projects: (1) Pathways, (2) Research in Service to Practice, (3) Innovations in Development, (4) Broad Implementation, and (5) Conferences, Symposia, and Workshops.

**Link to Additional Information:** NSF Publication 13-608

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National Endowment for the Humanities

Programming Grants to Accompany NEH on the Road Exhibitions Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number: 20131231-MR
Opportunity Category: Discretionary
Posted Date: Jan 02, 2013
Creation Date: Jan 02, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 31, 2013
Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 31, 2013
Archive Date: Jan 30, 2014

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$1,000 Award Floor: \$0

CFDA Number(s): 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Public Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

# **Eligible Applicants**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

# **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

An institution is eligible to apply only if it is a nonprofit organization with IRS taxexempt status and has already received a confirmed booking for one of the NEH on the Road exhibitions through Mid-America Arts Alliance.

# **Agency Name**

National Endowment for the Humanities

# **Description**

These grants support ancillary public humanities programs to accompany NEH on the Road traveling exhibitions. Typical formats involve lectures, reading and discussion programs, film discussion programs, Chautauqua presentations by scholars, family programs, exhibition tours, and other appropriate formats for reaching the general public.

#### **Link to Additional Information**

http://www.neh.gov/grants/public/programming-grants-accompany-neh-the-road-exhibitions

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=213413

#### **National Science Foundation**

#### **Small Business Administration**

Department of the Treasury

Community Development Financial Institutions

FY 2014 Native American CDFI Assistance Program Grant

**Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:**CDFI-2014-FATA

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY 2014 CDFI Program - FA and TA Awards

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Other

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 150

**CFDA Number(s):** 21.020 -- Community Development Financial

**Institutions Program** 

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Oct 28, 2013
Dec 23, 2013
Dec 23, 2013
Archive Date:
Dec 24, 2013

**Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$179,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$2,000,000

Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applicants must be certified as a Community

Development Financial Institution (CDFI) by the CDFI Fund, or be certifiable as a CDFI by the CDFI Fund. Please see the Notice of Funds Availability on

the CDFI Fund's website for more detailed

information.

**Agency Name:**Community Development Financial Institutions **Description:**Description: Through the CDFI Program, the CDFI

Fund provides: (i) Financial Assistance (FA) awards to CDFIs that have Comprehensive Business Plans for creating demonstrable community development impact through the deployment of credit, capital, and financial services within their respective Target Markets or the expansion into new Investment Areas, Low-Income Targeted Populations, or Other Targeted Populations, and (ii) Technical Assistance (TA) grants to CDFIs and entities proposing to become CDFIs in order to build their capacity to better address the community development and capital access needs of their particular Target

CDFIs.

Link to Additional Information:

<u>A webpage on the CDFI Fund's website with all the</u>

relevant details regarding the CDFI Program.

Markets, to expand into new Investment Areas, Low-Income Targeted Populations, or Other Targeted Populations, and/or to become certified

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Community Development Financial Institutions FY 2014 CDFI Program - FA and TA Awards Modification 1

**Document Type:** Grants Notice

**Funding Opportunity Number:** CDFI-2014-FATA

**Funding Opportunity Title:** FY 2014 CDFI Program - FA and TA Awards

**Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Other

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

**Category Explanation:** 

**Expected Number of Awards:** 150

**CFDA Number(s):** 21.020 -- Community Development Financial

**Institutions Program** 

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Oct 28, 2013
Dec 23, 2013
Dec 23, 2013
Archive Date:
Dec 24, 2013
Estimated Total Program Funding:
Award Ceiling:
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Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

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Areas, Low-Income Targeted Populations, or Other Targeted Populations, and/or to become certified CDFIs.

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